MEDICAL.

E UNFORTUNATE.

MEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!

Gibbon's Dispensary,

623 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR COMMERCIAL, San Francisco. Established in 1854 for the treatment of sexual and Seminal [illegible] Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, Skin Diseases of years standing [illegible] Ulcerated Legs [illegible] cured.

[illegible] has the pleasure of announcing [illegible] ed from visiting the [illegible] and has resumed practice [illegible] Kearney street, [illegible] where his old patients and [illegible] vices may find him [illegible] has spared neither [illegible] new remedies, and has [illegible] ities for the alleviation of [illegible]

Horrible Disease.

[illegible] thousands of persons both [illegible] who are suffering [illegible] the effects of secret [illegible] sorbed into the system [illegible] and disfigured faces [illegible] constitutions disqualifying them [illegible] of marriage or the enjoyment [illegible] situation thousands suffer until [illegible] Let parents, guardians, friends [illegible] who are suffering with any of [illegible] destroying maladies see that they [illegible] cured before it be too late [illegible] DR. GIBBON, a physician [illegible] diseases his especial [illegible] certain to cure the most [illegible] injury or any injurious drugs [illegible] who are afflicted [illegible] in the welfare of the [illegible] many pretended doctors [illegible] ishing their skill [illegible] imposing upon the [illegible] eminent physicians from Europe [illegible] Be therefore careful and [illegible] may fall into the hands of [illegible]

Seminal Weakness.

[illegible] missions, the consequence of self abuse, [illegible] vice, or depraved sexual indulgence [illegible] the youth of both sexes to an alarming [illegible] producing with unerring certainty [illegible] train of morbid symptoms unless [illegible] scientific medical measures, viz. [illegible] dark spots under the eyes, pain in [illegible] in the ears, noise like the rustling [illegible] rattling of chariots, uneasiness about [illegible] of the limbs, confused vision, [illegible] loss of confidence, diffidence in [illegible] strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintance [illegible] disposition to shun society [illegible] the face, furred tongue, fetid breath [illegible] night sweats, monomania [illegible] If relief be not obtained [illegible] either in person or by letter and [illegible] by his new and scientific mode [illegible] which never fails of effecting [illegible] radical cure. Dr. G. will give One [illegible] to any person who will prove [illegible] him that he was cured of this [illegible] of the San Francisco quacks.

[illegible] Men.

[illegible] marriage, who are suffering [illegible] fearful maladies should [illegible] responsibility resting upon them [illegible] private relief [illegible] and will give to such [illegible] binding him [illegible] cure, or make no [illegible]

[illegible] may be CURED AT HOME, [illegible] a letter to Dr. Gibbon stating case, [illegible] of time the disease has continued, [illegible] promptly forwarded free from [illegible] to any part of the country [illegible] plain directions. By inclosing [illegible] letter through the [illegible] Wells, Fargo & Co. a package of [illegible] be forwarded to any part of the [illegible] strictly confidential.

[illegible] to the Unfortunate.

[illegible] San Francisco quacks and pre[illegible] certificates [illegible] self-styled doctors whose [illegible] in the daily and weekly [illegible] San Francisco and other places [illegible] too lazy to work at the [illegible] newspapers [illegible] etc. The only [illegible] to make inquiry—It will [illegible] may save you many regrets [illegible] in eight cases out of [illegible] who and what they are. Dr. [illegible] people by exhibiting bogus [illegible] letters [illegible] who may call at his [illegible] that he proposes

[illegible] GIBBON, 623 Kearney street, cor[illegible] San Francisco, Post Office Box 1,957. [illegible] TO POST BOX 1,957 ON THE LET[illegible] FREE.

[illegible] will please inform DR. GIB[illegible] read his advertisement in the Daily [illegible]

[illegible] REWARD FOR AN Incurable Case!

[illegible] DR. LE RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM!

After ten years trial on this Coast [illegible] the only curative in a certain class [illegible] by medical practition[illegible]

[illegible] GOLDEN BALSAM No. 1

[illegible] first and second stage Sores on [illegible] Sore Ears, Eyes, Nose, &c. [illegible] Syphilitic Catarrh, [illegible] and all primary forms of the [illegible] Price, $5 per bot[illegible]

[illegible] GOLDEN BALSAM No. 2

[illegible] Syphilitic Rheuma[illegible] of the Neck [illegible] Rash Lump [illegible] of the Limbs, [illegible] from the system [illegible] pure [illegible]

[illegible] GOLDEN SPANISH AN[illegible]

[illegible] Gleet, Irri[illegible] and all Urinary or Genital [illegible] $2.50 per bottle.

[illegible] GOLDEN SPANISH IN[illegible]

[illegible] Gleet, Stricture [illegible] and Bladder [illegible]

[illegible] DR. LE RICHAU'S GOLDEN [illegible] Night Emis[illegible] and all [illegible] arising from [illegible] Price, $3 [illegible]

[illegible] of price, these medicines will [illegible] of the country, by express [illegible] and free from obser[illegible]

[illegible] C. F. RICHARDS & CO. [illegible] Cal. X

[illegible] HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE AS[illegible] Roll of the City of Portland has been [illegible] will be open at the Auditor's [illegible] uary 1st, 1874, prior to which time [illegible] correction of errors must be filed [illegible] is directed to the following [illegible] nance No. 1118: [illegible] person deeming himself aggrieved [illegible] valuation or listing of property [illegible] Common Council for a revision of [illegible] shall contain a list of all the [illegible] to taxation for city purposes [illegible] lands of, or under the control of the [illegible] statement of the particular [illegible] claimed to be erroneously assessed [illegible] shall in all cases be verified [illegible] of the applicant, and must [illegible] Auditor before the 1st day of Jan[illegible] the date of the filing of the Asses[illegible]

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Cl[illegible]

[illegible] 1873.

MILITARY ORDER.

DEPARTMENT [illegible] ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, [illegible] Washington [illegible] [illegible] DENT OF THE UNITED STATES [illegible] it to be made known that all [illegible] ed their colors, and who shall [illegible] day of January, 1874, surrender [illegible] military station shall rec[illegible] forfeiting the pay and allowances [illegible] time of desertion, and shall be [illegible] without trial or punishment [illegible] faithfully serve the [illegible] [illegible] Secretary of War.

E. D. TOWNSEND, Adjutant [illegible]

TAXES.

[illegible] PAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT [illegible] Multnomah County [illegible] tax for the [illegible] and I am instructed [illegible] days.

E. [illegible] Clerk. [illegible] Book Store [illegible] Building.

NOTICE

[illegible] OF THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO [illegible] Portland [illegible] [illegible] OF THE BOARD OF DIRE[illegible] Oregon Steamship Company [illegible] owing Resolution was unanim[illegible] [illegible] from and after the date no [illegible] portation on the steamships [illegible] issued to any person whatever [illegible] tors, officers and employes of the [illegible]

E. H. C. TAYLOR, Sec'y.

Morning Oregonian.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON CITY.

Geo. H. Williams Nominated Chief Justice.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The President has nominated George H. Williams, of Oregon, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and B. H. Bristow, of Kentucky, Attorney General.

Hardenburg's resignation has been accepted by the President, to take effect on the appointment of a successor.

The Kansas Pacific Railroad defaulted yesterday in the payment of the December interest on $1,000,000 bonds.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

The Weather.

ROSEBURG, Dec. 3.—We had one of the heaviest snow storms to-day experienced in Southern Oregon for the past ten years. It commenced snowing at 8 o'clock this morning, and continued until 6 o'clock this evening. Snow is about ten inches deep. The temperature is very cold—almost at freezing point.

ASHLAND, Dec. 3.—There has been the most severe wind and snow storm to-day ever known in Southern Oregon at this season of the year. The wind blew terrifically from the southeast and drove the snow furiously before it, making drifts four or five feet deep in places, and rendering traveling difficult and laborious.

Interior California.

YREKA, Dec. 3.—We have experienced to-day the severest snow storm that has been known here for many years. It commenced snowing at 7 A. M., and continued without cessation until 7:30 this evening and is still snowing fast. The snow is sixteen inches deep, the ground being frozen to the depth of two to four inches. The snow makes sleighing very fine, all kinds of impromptu sleighs being contrived and brought into use. Should it continue cold the prospect for a season of splendid sleighing is very favorable.

The telegraph is interrupted below Chico. This morning it was snowing at Sacramento and Marysville with the thermometer at 36°. At the latter place the snow was four inches deep at 10 A. M.

At Shasta and Redding it has snowed continuously all day with snow at the depth of 10 inches at 7 P. M.

[Line down south of Yreka. No report to-day.]

THE EXECUTION AT SANTIAGO DE CUBA.

The New York papers of Nov. 22d, contain accounts of the *Virginius* butchery taken from the columns of *El Cronista*, the Spanish organ in New York. Of the military trial, *El Cronista* says:

The tribunal continued their work without cessation. The Marine court martial met at 8 o'clock on the morning of the 6th, and closed its work at 7 on the morning of the 7th. Such was the rectitude that presided over their deliberation that thirty-seven of the crew were sentenced to death, twelve to different punishments of a greater or less severity, and three acquitted, having proved their complete innocence. This proved the rectitude of the proceedings and the faithful services of the Prosecuting Attorney. The thirty-seven were transferred to prison and handed over to their spiritual adviser. Capt. Fry behaved with dignity, and preserved an ostentatious serenity. Alfaro exhibited a bold demeanor at first, saying he was an American citizen, but being asked for the city of his birth he answered that it was Havana, but with his confessor he changed completely, as soon as he saw that the law was about to be visited upon him, and offered his services and influence for the Spanish cause in Cuba. The law was executed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, the 7th, and in that solemn moment there still was heard a voice of some one who cried, "Viva Cuba Libre!" a cry which was lost in the report of the muskets. There was one noble incident, a victory of our holy faith. Twenty Protestant individuals were converted to our Catholic Church—full of the most fervent faith, and received the sacrament of baptism. They confessed, communicated, and with the deepest [illegible] prayed to the Lord for the salvation of their souls. May He have received them into his rest. One of them said that he had never received any religious instruction, and knowing that it was necessary, he embraced with full hope what was explained to him by our good priests. Among the thirty-seven there were Day, Trugillo, Currlon Arcl, Duenas, Delovo, Ferran Larramenda and Garcia. Among those who were already on shore were Guillermo Valls, Justo Consuegra, Francisco Borras, Polu and Herminio Quesada. All of them were placed in the condemned cells at 10 o'clock of the 7th. To describe the attitude of this band of youths before the crucifix is an ungrateful task, since it appeared like a bacchanal of men without souls, without knowledge of what they were soon to meet. They seemed to care very little for the exhortations of the faithful priests, and confessed with such little faith that it is doubtful whether it profited them. With equal insolence they marched to the place of execution. A few phrases, although not uttered in a loud voice, showed that they still preserved in those solemn moments their hatred for Spain, and with a viva to Cuba Libre, which was scarcely heard, their sentence was carried out.

ALFARO'S LETTER TO GENERAL BURRIEL OFFERING HIS SECRETS FOR HIS LIFE.

To His Excellency Senor Brigadier Don Juan N. Burriel, Commanding General of Santiago de Cuba.—*Your Excellency*—In the name of humanity and respect to civilization, horrified by the terrible and sanguinary scenes of a fratricidal war and comprehending the inutility of continuing for a longer time a conflict in which has been sacrificed the most generous blood that has taken part in it, I have determined to open my voice not only to desist completely in assisting the cause of the Cuban insurrection, but to work for the restoration of the tranquility of this soil under the dominion of Spain, employing all my influence with the principal personages of the insurrection to that end. He who subscribes is the private secretary of General Quesada, who is the actual agent of the Cubans abroad, and who is compromised to exercise all his influence with that chief to accomplish this end. Moreover, in his character as such, he has in his hand secrets of some importance which he will reveal whenever Your Excellency will give him the opportunity. To this purpose I entreat that Your Excellency will concede life to the passenger and crew of the *Virginius*, among whom is myself. The few moments I have at my disposition prevent my detailing the revelations which refer to future operations which have already been accomplished and some negotiations with the Government of the United States and authorization of American employees. A single audience of half an hour will satisfy Your Excellency.

PEDRO F. ALFARO.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Nov. 7, 1873.

OTHER OFFERS OF SUBMISSION.

To His Excellency Senor Commanding General Don J. N. Burriel: *Your Excellency*—The undersigned have the honor to make known to Your Excellency that they are disposed to contribute, in every way in their power, to the accomplishment of the above, for which they have the honor to await your orders in the prison of Santiago de Cuba. God guard Your Excellency many years.

AUGUSTIN DE VARONA.
GUILLERMO S. VALLS.
JOSE BORTEL.
ARTURO D. DE MOLA.
JUSTO CONSUEGRA.
JOSE OTERO.
SALVADOR LINEDO.

November 7, 1873.

A very severe wind and snow storm occurred on the Sound last Saturday, the worst of the season from all accounts.

LANE AND LINN

GOOD EFFECTS OF THE LATE RAINS—AFFAIRS AT SCIO AND IN THE FORKS—FINE FLEECED SHEEP—WHEAT PRODUCTION—HOW TO MAKE FARMS PAY, ETC., ETC.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

JUNCTION CITY, Dec. 3, 1873.

Since my last communication a heavy rain has fallen in Lane county that is invaluable for setting the balance of the plows in active operations. Up to this time the season has been everything that the farmers could wish for agricultural purposes. There were slight snow showers on Saturday and Sunday and more or less frost on Monday and Tuesday nights. There has been considerable snow in the mountain ranges that came down in the form of rain in the valleys. The sun came out yesterday bright and warm, making all feel glad and joyful.

The farmers are taking advantage of the cold weather to kill their hogs; this is quite general at all the principal farm houses in the country. They are killing earlier than usual because it pays better to sell the wheat, bacon being much lower in price than in former years.

THE FORKS OF THE SANTIAM

Is a fine body of land, rich and productive; the district is very flat and damp; to develop its full powers it requires more drainage and energy and enterprise on the part of the farmers. When well cultivated the soil will be as productive and valuable as perhaps any part of the county of Linn.

THE TOWN OF SCIO

Is the trading place for the people of the Forks. It is quite a smart town of considerable business character. It has three good stores, some neat houses and cottages, the usual supply of workshops and quite a number of inhabitants. Messrs. Irvine & Morris own the Scio flouring mill. The mill is driven by water power from a creek that comes from the Santiam river. The demand for the flour is such that the mill is run day and night. The proprietors are thorough business men, and the establishment has the appearance of being conducted by men who know their business. This district of the country is decidedly prosperous. The Grangers and Good Templars are in full blast.

LANE COUNTY

Is coming up rapidly on the heels of Linn county in cultivation and production. The foot hills are numerous and the grass excellent—just the home for sheep, where flocks are numerous. Nine miles west of Eugene, Mr. M. Wilkins, late President of the State Agricultural Society, resides. He has a farm of 1,200 acres. He excels in raising fine sheep. His flock of improved Oxfords is worth going a long distance to see. They give striking evidence of what scientific skill, good judgment and attention can accomplish in raising sheep to advantage. Those who saw his samples of wool from this flock at the late State Fair, and since exhibited in Messrs. Ladd & Tilton's bank, will be satisfied of the truth of these remarks. The last clip of these sheep averaged ten pounds to the fleece, while the ordinary sheep of the State do not average more than four pounds to the fleece. The advantage of good stock will be obvious to the most common mind. The fleece of the former will sell for $2 50, and that of the latter for not more than $1, yet the common sheep eat as much grass as the thoroughbreds.

In the district of which Mr. Wilkins' farm forms a part, is a valley seven miles long by three broad that will produce corn equal in quantity and quality to the average crop of the Western States. The scenery from the front of his house is one of rare beauty, and the one from the high buttes some distance in the rear, is truly grand. From these buttes the Willamette valley comes into view for a distance of forty miles. If any of your readers want to see a happy home and a well trained family, and to learn how to secure the former and accomplish the latter, let them spend an evening at Mr. Wilkins' hospitable house and they will come away the wiser and better for the visit.

THE WHEAT PRODUCTIONS

Of Lane county are very encouraging. There will be shipped this season from

	Bushels
Cottage Grove	11,000
Creswell	5,000
Eugene	30,000
Hallet's Station	4,000
Luper's Store	1,000
Meek's Store	1,000
Junction City	198,000
Making in all	600,000

Of surplus wheat for shipment to foreign ports, leaving 100,000 bushels for home consumption and seed, making 700,000 bushels of wheat as the entire production of Lane county. This is about half the quantity raised by Linn county. Should the coming season be as favorable as the past one, Lane county will most probably raise 1,000,000 bushels of wheat in 1874. The preparations for more extensive plowing and sowing are everywhere apparent. The late Col. Moore's farm, now owned by his sons, Messrs. I. R. and J. H. Moore, is located four miles northwest from Eugene and rented by Mr. W. J. Hill. This farm consists of 1,600 acres. Mr. Hill sowed 500 acres of wheat and oats last season, from which he reaped 16,000 bushels of wheat and 1,900 bushels of oats, making an average of more than thirty bushels to the acre. This year he intends sowing 1,000 acres of wheat, from which he expects to raise from 30,000 to 40,000 bushels. Other farmers are breaking up old prairie land in proportion and putting in wheat. Mr. Hill paid the Messrs. Moores a fourth of his wheat in rent, 4,384 bushels. The coming year he pays a third, which will be at least 10,000 bushels.

Mr. Hill came from Indiana less than three years ago. When he commenced farming at that time he had little more than the price of a team. This year he has cleared $5,000, has ten farm horses, and fattened 170 hogs in his stubble fields. The proceeds of the latter will pay him $1 a bushel for all they have eaten of what would otherwise have been lost. This is an interesting example of what a man of intelligence, enterprise and character can accomplish with a small beginning under difficulties. The owners may be congratulated on having such a tenant, and the county on having such an example of industry and prosperity.

THE FORKS OF THE WILLAMETTE

Embraced in Lane county contain as good farming lands, as fine farm houses, and as prosperous and comfortable homes as can be found in the county. The scenery is beautiful and grand. The water power from the main forks, the McKenzie and Coast forks, that concentrate at Springfield and is owned by Messrs. Pengra Brothers, is of great value and inexhaustible. Their flouring, saw and planing mills driven by this power are of great interest in developing the resources of the country.

JUNCTION CITY

Is one of the most successful and prosperous towns created by the building of the Oregon & California Railroad. It is only two years since the first house was built; now it has 150 houses, 400 inhabitants, four good general stores, of which Smith, Brasfield & Co's is as old [illegible] as any town in the State, a neat church, a first class public school and extensive warehouses for storing wheat. Of bushels of wheat there were shipped this season [illegible]

C. W. Washburn's warehouse	[illegible]
Smith, Beach & Co.'s warehouse	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] warehouse	[illegible]
Shipped on cars here	[illegible]
Still in the hands of farmers here	[illegible]
Making in all	[illegible]

shipped and to be shipped from Junction City. These facts will give the public some idea of the agricultural resources of Lane county, the importance of Junction City as a center for business, and the value of the railroad as a means of transportation [illegible] the wheat for shipment to foreign ports.

ENTERPRISE—PROSPERITY.

Nothing is more obvious than the general prosperity of the country. Contentment reigns in every home, happiness beams from every countenance, and the voice of gladness greets you everywhere. These are the natural results of abundant crops and paying prices, labor and industry fairly rewarded and appreciated by an intelligent and virtuous people.

THE GRANGERS

Of this district held a special meeting here yesterday evening to initiate a large number of new members and make preparations for the anniversary of the organization of the Order on the 4th of this month. The past rapid progress of this Order has no parallel in the State in the same time, and there is good reason to expect that it will be invaluable for the accomplishment of the objects contemplated by the organization.

Col. Saxe is at Eugene City with a band of three hundred ewes from Kentucky that he expects to dispose of there on favorable terms. There is a growing demand in the State for thoroughbred stock. Col. Saxe is doing his part to meet the demand. NORTHWEST.

LATEST NEWS ITEMS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—Edwin D. Lewis, President of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, has accepted the position of Receiver in Jay Cooke & Co's Bank, offered by the Court. He will act until the creditors appoint an assignee.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—A company of freedmen from Georgia embarked on Wednesday evening from this port by the *Jasper* for Liberia, under the auspices of the American Colonization Society. It is understood that 600 more are to be forwarded at an early day.

BROWNSVILLE, (Texas), Nov. 27.—Alberto Garcia, chief of the Mexican bandits who robbed the store of Mr. Schurber in Concepcion some days ago of about $30,000 in cash and a lot of arms and then fled to Mexico, has been captured by the authorities and taken to Matamoras, where he is held for extradition. This arrest has been made with more promptness than any previous one for years.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—A special dispatch to the *Tribune* from Washington says: The rumors that have long been afloat about the Capital in regard to the use of corrupt means to secure a Pacific mail subsidy and land grants for the Northern Pacific Railroad will probably be sifted by special committees, and among the earliest legislation in Congress will be Postmaster General Creswell's postal telegraph.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The following articles were taken from Tiffany's jewelry establishment by H. L. Murray, the clerk, who was arrested yesterday: Eight gold chains, one diamond ring, one opal cluster ring containing thirty diamonds, a large opal valued at $2,000, turquois and pearl rings, two solitaire diamonds, valuable gems, lockets, neck-chains, vest-chains and bracelets, all gold. Murray had gambled nearly all of the stolen property off before he was arrested.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27.—Hon. Richard Yates, of Illinois, died suddenly at Barnum's Hotel here at 12 o'clock to-night. Mr. Yates had been at Fulton, Ark., as United States Commissioner to examine the lower end of the Cairo and Fulton Railroad, and returned here last Sunday, since which he has been feeble. Yesterday he was quite sick. He revived to-day, however, and this evening, while busying himself with preparation for starting home to-morrow, suddenly fell backward and died in five minutes.

STABLING HORSES

The folly of bad feeding is no greater than the folly of bad stabling. The practice of providing warm and tightly built stables for young colts is as injurious to them as forcing their growth by heavy feed. A colt requires fresh air, and, if he is furnished with an opportunity, he will be sure to get it. His lungs are the largest part of his internal organs, and he will provide for them if there is any way to do it. Give him the best and warmest box in the world and he will leave it for the invigorating influences of the northern blasts in winter, and for the cooling and indurating effects of a coating of snow and hail. He seems to understand by instinct that if he confines himself to the hot air of an elaborate, well finished model stable his energies will wilt and fade. He seems to know that a glossy, shining coat is to him a sort of white wall of a whited sepulchre—pleasing without, but within full of all equine disabilities, and so he only asks for room to stretch his growing limbs and a roof sufficient to shield him from the storm, undisturbed if he should see a star through the crevice above him and feel the fresh breeze whistling through a crack by his side. He wants a well ventilated stable and a chance to get out of it whenever he desires to do so. And above all things let him stand on the ground if possible while in his box, and at any rate, in a yard into which his box opens. A floor, especially a wooden floor, is bad enough for a mature working horse, but to a colt it is almost destruction. I have no shadow of doubt that we ruin thousands of horses' feet in this country by our plank floors. The wood when dry is a non-conductor of heat, and tends to keep the hoof above its natural temperature and to remove from it all its natural moisture, and when wet it has a tendency to rise above the surrounding temperature by fermentation. Whether dry or wet, therefore, wood, whether in the form of a plank floor or of saw dust bedding, is very injurious to the horse's foot. And so thoroughly convinced of this am I, that I always provide brick floors for all that portion of the stall which is occupied by the horse's fore foot—a practice which has, with the aid of proper treatment, protected me for more than twenty years of hard driving on hard roads from sore feet. Horses and I has sent out of my stables a foot which every farrier will recognize the instant he puts his buttrice into it. For the feet then of the colt and the idle horse furnish the earth as a standing place; for the feet of the working horse furnish a brick or stone floor. By such a floor and in such a way secure to your colt a good foot, and in this way alone, moreover, can you be sure of giving him a good leg, a well shaped ankle and a firm and substantial knee. I know not how it is, but these misshapen ankles and shaky knees which come out of hot stables with wooden floors among the colts which have wintered there constitute one of the peculiar phenomena of the business of raising these animals. But so it is, and I recommend to all, whether you like to see it or not, whether you fear or trust them, to give them the solid ground to stand on whenever it is practicable in their youth, and anything but wood in their boxes at maturity.—*Dr. G. B. L[illegible]* *M[illegible] [illegible] The Horse.*

The New York [illegible] says: [illegible] that [illegible] Lanation [illegible] founding [illegible] within the [illegible] telescopes in the world. The design is to [illegible] the largest [illegible] to discover [illegible] object glass it is possible to [illegible] [illegible] limited means [illegible] difficulties [illegible] a ten feet or twelve feet [illegible] with its attachments one hundred and thirty feet [illegible] by machinery [illegible] with an apparent distance of only eight miles from the [illegible] lakes and [illegible] speculum glass be constructed. Those who know the difficulties in the way are [illegible] very hopeless.

A MURDERER'S ESCAPE

HOW SHARKEY WALKED OUT OF THE TOMBS AT MIDDAY—A WOMAN'S DEVOTION.

From the New York *Times* of November 20th we take the following account of the remarkable escape of Sharkey, the notorious murderer, from the Tombs:

On September 2d, 1872, a prominent Eighth Ward politician, named James Kelly, was buried in Calvary Cemetery. Among the attendants at the funeral were William J. Sharkey and Robert S. Dunn. Sharkey had been drinking heavily. When in liquor he was of a most quarrelsome disposition, continually wearing pistols and threatening life. After the funeral Dunn, with William Welsh, Harry Cline and others, were drinking in a saloon known as "The Place," No. 28 Hudson street. Sharkey came in and began talking about the $500 he gave Dunn. He pulled out a derringer and said, "You are to be carried home on a chip. There was a time I could have died for you, but now it is different," and as he said so his pistol exploded and Dunn was shot dead. Sharkey subsequently surrendered himself to Capt. Garland at the Twenty-eighth Precinct and was committed to the Tombs by Coroner Young on the 4th of September, 1872.

He was at once placed in cell No. 40 of the Tombs, the same cell from which he made the unparalleled escape of yesterday. The cell was fitted up to suit himself. New plumbing work was substituted for the old and the cell converted into a miniature drawing room. During his incarceration in this cell Sharkey was continually visited by friends, and his brothers, John and Charles, were constant in their attendance on him. But no one of all his friends was so constant as a girl named Maggie Jourdan. Her history in itself forms almost as startling a story as that of Sharkey. The daughter of a respectable resident of the Ninth Ward, she at first became known to the police from her association with Thomas Murphy, the well known pickpocket. Her brother soon fell into criminal ways and was arrested by Operator Sullivan, of the Secret Service Force, and taken to Connecticut to answer a bond robbery, the penalty of which, however, he escaped through legal technicalities. Maggie Jourdan, a young woman of peculiarly prepossessing appearance, became infatuated with Sharkey, and after his arrest would at any time have surrendered her life to save his.

His trial came, and despite the efforts of ex-Judge Beach and Charles W. Brooks, his lawyers, he was convicted on the 5th of July, 1873, before Recorder Hackett, and sentenced to be executed on August 15th of the present year.

He remained in the Tombs under the sentence of death until yesterday. True, a stay of proceedings had been obtained for him, and he had been returned to his old cell, No. 40, from the condemned cell down stairs.

Yesterday morning Maggie Jourdan, attired as usual, came to the Tombs about 10 o'clock, and passing the keeper at the outer gate, walked up through the yard and ascended to Sharkey's cell on the second tier of the male prison. She remained there for nearly three hours and a half. The keeper on the tier, Lawrence Phillips, noticed nothing unusual and saw nothing in her behavior to indicate anything wrong, especially as her conduct while visiting the prison previously had been of the most exemplary character. Sarah Allen, the leading figure in the escape, next appeared. She came into the prison about 1 o'clock to see a man named Flood, confined on the second tier. She received a red ticket or pass, from Keeper Falconer at the outer gate and entered the prison. Before going to the third tier she stopped at Sharkey's cell, on the second tier, and conversed with him and Maggie Jourdan for a few moments. Then she passed up stairs to the third tier. Maggie Jourdan at once left the prison. In about twenty minutes Sarah Allen came down in order to leave the prison, and on being stopped at the gate said that she had lost her pass. The alarm was at once given and it was found that Sharkey's cell was empty. On his cell being entered it was found that he had evidently left the prison in a suit of women's clothes, for his ordinary wearing apparel was thrown around the cell, where it had evidently been discarded in a hurry. He had shaved off his moustache, and the razor used and the lather remained on his dressing table. In front of the door, on the corner of a chair, he had placed a gray felt hat so that a casual passer by looking through the door would only see the hat and imagine that Sharkey still occupied the cell.

From these facts it is very easy to conjecture the *modus operandi* of the escape. Warden Johnson on being notified made an investigation with the following result: After Maggie Jourdan left the prison and before Sarah Allen came down from the third tier, what appeared to be a lady presented a pass to Keeper Phillips on the second tier and asked to be passed out. This person was attired in a full suit of black silk, a panier, with a shawl, bonnet and a heavy white silk veil. Keeper Phillips declares that he made this person lift the veil, and not seeing anything suspicious passed the person out into the yard. Whether this be so or not, the person so attired was William J. Sharkey. His slight build, effeminate appearance and completeness of costume all favored him and he passed through the yard to the outer gate. Keeper Falconer was in charge of this gate. This keeper passed Sharkey out, and in a second the condemned felon was in the street free. Such is the plain story.

BETTER EXPUNGE IT

The readers of the *Chronicle* will have read the announcement among "Personals" that an effort will be made in the Massachusetts Legislature just chosen to expunge the resolution censuring Senator Sumner on account of his sectional battle flag proposition.

It will be remembered that the *Chronicle* advised the Massachusetts Legislature last year to lift this crown of thorns from their old Senator's brow, and told them plainly that it would be better for them to do it themselves while Mr. Sumner still lives than to leave it to be done by their children after his departure to his final haven of repose. We now repeat the admonition.

We think Senator Sumner has committed some most inexcusable errors. This, however, only proves him to be human. We ought not to expect absolute perfection in this world. And the people of the whole country will unite with us in the opinion that whatever may have been Senator Sumner's errors or weaknesses, he has added more to the honor of Massachusetts than it is possible for it to add to his just fame. In some respects he has doubtless had superiors; in others he has never had an equal among American statesmen. Every attempt to degrade him must and ought to recoil on the heads of its authors. Such attempts ought not to have originated in his own State, and having so originated, those who are wise will hasten to correct the error.

Senator Sumner has grown gray in his country's service. Its honor and [illegible] have ever been dear to his heart. He is now beginning to stoop with the weight of years devoted to the welfare of the Republic. The evening of a life well spent he ought to be [illegible] by his countrymen. [illegible] He has [illegible] the consistent champion of human freedom. Let Massachusetts lift the heavy hand which has [illegible] the [illegible] one of the most gifted of her illustrious sons without stopping to debate the question of abstract justice. His well merited fame will, however, continue to be honored by all Americans, whether this advice is followed or not.—*Washington Chronicle*, Nov. 18th.

Some time [illegible] the U. S. grand jury [illegible] robbing the mails of the Northwestern Stage Co's coach, and threatening and putting the life of the driver in jeopardy, while on the overland road between Rock Creek Station and Malad Station, was arraigned and plead guilty as charged in the indictment. The Court has fixed the time for pronouncing sentence on King and Colyer next Saturday, the 29th inst., at [illegible] o'clock A. M.

THE TERRITORIES

The Methodists of Boise City have taken steps to secure the erection of a seminary at that place.

An attempt was made to burn the town of Walla Walla on the 23d ult., but the fire was fortunately discovered before it had made much progress, except to burn a small unused stable.

Rufus King, ex-postmaster of Silver City, Owyhee county, Idaho, indicted by the United States grand jury for embezzling $3,000 postal money orders, was arraigned on Friday, November 21st, to plead to the indictment, when he came into court and plead guilty.

The following business was transacted at the Olympia Land Office during the month of November: Cash sales, 2,604.92 acres; 13 homestead entries, 1,766.80 acres; 2 final homesteads, 320 acres; 4 donation certificates, 947.41 acres; A. C. Scrip, 160 acres; M. B. Land warrants, 160 acres; declaratory statements filed, 14; declaratory statements for coal land, 1.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* says: On Sunday last, Marshal Justice arrested and has now confined in jail the Indian who is believed to have murdered James Corrigle. He has been recognized as the man who sold Corrigle's watch, and many other circumstances indicate his guilt. In the event of his conviction, Mr. Justice will be entitled to the $500 reward offered by Sheriff Griffin.

A letter from Dayton, W. T., says: "Very encouraging assurances have been received from the O. S. N. Co. in relation to the shipment of our products by the way of Snake river. Responsible parties are making the necessary arrangements to build a warehouse on Snake river for the accommodation of the farmers and to place the enterprise upon a legitimate business footing."

Tacoma is going to assume metropolitan airs. On Friday night of last week Mr. Meyer's store at that place was forcibly entered and plundered. The burglar got in and out through the back window and made a rich haul. From the store counter he took two dozen pairs of pants, from beneath it nine pairs of fine boots, from the shelves a bolt of cloth and a number of shirts, from behind the bar 300 cigars, and from the till $15 in cash. Parties are on the look out for the thief, and a number of persons are suspected and watched. A liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of the goods.

The *Union* says: "Just now there are no less than three railroad schemes that have for their object, in part at least, the connecting of Walla Walla valley with the ocean by steamer or rail. The Seattle & Walla Walla Railroad Company have in view a purely railroad scheme for connecting us with Puget Sound. The Portland, Dalles & Salt Lake Company propose a line of railroad and steamboats to join us with Portland, while the O. S. N. Company, alias the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, propose to take us to Portland, Tacoma, San Francisco, or almost anywhere else by car and boat."

Horace Myers, the editor of the Corinne *Reporter*, who committed suicide, was a young man only 24 years of age. The Salt Lake *Tribune* says: "The deceased had many friends in Salt Lake City, and to these he betook himself, a few days ago, for assistance in his financial strait. But his intemperate and ill judged abuse of his former friends in the columns of the *Reporter* had served to completely alienate their friendship, and he returned home defeated and disappointed. Horace Myers was but 24 years of age, and his youth and inexperience may have led him into error. His career in this Territory has been an exceedingly unhappy one, and we sincerely grieve that youth and ambition should come to so untimely an end. Peace to his ashes!"

The Walla Walla *Union* learns that complaints are made that settlers are being ordered off the reservation near Lewiston. Some of these have been allowed to settle along the principal roads running through the reservation for the purpose of keeping wayside houses, and have made valuable improvements, expecting to be allowed to remain because of the utter necessity to the traveling public of having such houses to stop at. There are others who settled on lands outside of any reservation which have lately been included within the lines of the new reservation, that now includes a portion of the Hangman Creek country. They settled and improved farms there and now find themselves included in the reservation and notified to leave on short notice. The extreme hardship of such a proceeding will readily be seen by those who have ever been driven out of their homes just at the commencement of winter in a new and sparsely settled country.

The Tacoma *Tribune* of December 1st contains a lengthy description of affairs at Skookumville, the seat of the railroad war in Washington Territory. The editor, in company with others from Tacoma, visited the place last Saturday. He says: "Their camp is on the other side of Clover Creek, ten miles from Tacoma. The only fortification or obstruction is of railroad ties, two tiers of which are piled up crosswise in a cut on the road at the head of the bridge, with a heavy timber above. General Sprague, with four men, accompanied by Sheriff Davisson, walked up to the pile used as a barricade, for the purpose of procuring more, or at least bringing the matter to a head. The insurgents, or whatever they may be called, were on the other side in full force, and with guns loaded and aimed. The leader told the advancing party that they would touch those ties at the risk of their lives. Of course they were not touched. The Sheriff read the Riot Act, and then General Sprague talked in a conciliatory tone to the men. They told him their grievances, what they were resolved upon and what they were willing to do toward the settlement of the difficulty. After further conversation, the General started for Olympia, leaving, however, a very favorable impression among the men behind the breastwork."

OREGON

The boys have a good natural skating rink at La Grande.

Sixteen marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of Marion county in November.

La Grande can boast of a large number of fine babies, and hence of many happy mothers.

Salem, through her Common Council, offers a reward of $250 for the apprehension of any person guilty of arson or burglary in her borders.

Forty six deeds were filed for record in the Clerk's office in Marion county between the 1st and 30th of November just past, which shows a healthy state of the market in that particular direction.

The change from summer to winter time on the Umatilla and Kelton line of stages passing through La Grande took place on the 1st inst. The coaches and passengers will be over one night in La Grande.

An Albany boy exploded an old gun barrel filled with powder, pieces of iron, etc., the other day by heating it in the parlor stove. The members of the family were picked up, and the doctor thinks they may live.

The discussion before the Hillsboro Literary Society on Tuesday evening was: "*Resolved*, That free trade is the true policy of the United States," which was decided in favor of the negative. The question for next Tuesday evening is "*Resolved*, That compulsory education should be adopted in Oregon."

At a regular meeting of Jefferson Lodge No. [illegible], A. F. & A. M., at Jefferson, November 29th, 1873, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year, to be installed December 27th, 1873: Dr. W. M. Smith, W. M.; George W. Johnson, S. W.; Charles H. Libby, J. W.; Fred Stivers, Treasurer; John B. Looney, Secretary; G. B. Irvin, Tyler.

Our Hillsboro correspondent says, under date of the [illegible] inst.: "There is every indication at this time, under the present cold snap, that the fall sown grain will be seriously damaged, if not many fields will be a total loss. The snow is not deep enough yet to be of any advantage to the young crop. Up to the present writing the wind has been peculiarly cutting, and it is getting colder."

A correspondent at Jefferson, writing on the 2d instant, says: "The election here yesterday for 'city' officers passed off without any 'bruising' being done, although there was no small amount of substantial 'cussing.' To show their appreciation of the ring management of *city* affairs during the past two years, some of the boys trotted out a ticket in opposition to the ring, at the head of which was for Mayor a full blooded Modoc—an intelligent, industrious and honest Indian—and to-day that Modoc's scalp is swinging to the girdle of the successful 'Boston' candidate by a majority of only *eight* votes. A little work by the opposition, and that solitary Modoc would have been to-day safely in his little lava bed—Mayor of the *city* of Jefferson."

The *Statesman* of Wednesday says: "With the rise of the water in the river there has been a rush of steamers, and we have had four boats here from below since Sunday morning. The *Gov. Grover* came up Sunday afternoon and went on to Corvallis that evening, passing here yesterday on her return, loaded probably with wheat from that point. The *Success* came up Monday and went to Independence, from where she brought 2,000 sacks of wheat for Messrs. Kinney & Sons. Arriving yesterday morning she discharged her cargo and, taking on 110 tons of flour, proceeded to Portland. The *Fannie Patton* arrived at the wharf about 5 o'clock Monday evening, and loaded with flour from the warehouse. The *Shoshone* came in about one hour later, and taking on 1,800 half sacks of flour at the chute, both returned to Portland yesterday morning. The scow *Ben. Holt* has been taken up the river to load with wheat for the Kinney mill."

VANCOUVER ITEMS.

August Fisher, a drayman, met with quite a serious accident on Monday last by falling from his truck and a wheel passing over him. His horses started to run, and his foot slipping from the brake he was precipitated to the ground, one wheel passing over his neck. Fortunately there was no load on the dray, and his neck is of respectable size, so it was not disjointed. As it was he was severely injured, but is in a fair way of recovery.

The thermometer indicates cold weather on the north side of the Columbia. It would seem from the records that it is a little colder than in Portland. On Tuesday morning the mercury stood at 28° in Vancouver at 7 A. M., while in Portland it was [illegible]. For several days past the mercury has stood at from two to four degrees lower here than in Portland. There is one comfort—the difference is still greater in the hottest weather in summer.

BISHOP TOZER

The New York *Observer* has this to say of the Missionary Bishop of Zanzibar:

Bishop Tozer, preaching in this city, wears the flaming crimson hood that Stanley describes as his blazing garb among the half naked savages of Africa. Hanging down his back, not covering his head, it gives him a peculiar appearance and attracts marked attention. He is a man of decided ability, and in the pulpit and on the platform deeply interests his hearers.

And again, Stanley (not Dean Stanley, but Stanley who discovered Livingstone) tells us that Dr. Tozer is a "fighting parson," though the Bible says a bishop must be no striker, and he was so prone to punish his erratic parishioners in Zanzibar, that when he came to New York and found the Dean of Canterbury in a branch of the Church not amenable to the "fighting parson," he came down upon him [illegible] which he had no more right to administer than the man in the moon.

IT IS BETTER.—Better to wear a calico dress without trimming, if it is paid for, than to owe the shop-keeper for the most elegant silk cut and trimmed in the most bewitching manner.

Better to live in a log cabin all your own than a brown stone mansion belonging to somebody else.

Better walk forever than to run in debt for a horse and carriage.

Better to sit by the pine table for which you paid $3 ten years ago than to send home a new extension black walnut top and promise to pay for it next week.

Better to use the old cane-seated chairs and faded two-ply carpet than tremble at the bills sent home from the upholsterers for the most elegant parlor set ever made.

Better to eat thin soup from earthenware if you owe your butcher nothing, than to dine off lamb and roast beef and know that it does not belong to you.

Better to let your wives have a fit of hysterics than to run in debt for nice new furniture, or clothes, or jewelry.

A CANDID CONFESSION.—It is worth observing that the cry for an instant war with Spain is strictly confined to New York city. It finds no echo in any respectable newspaper outside of this city. There is undoubtedly a strong desire everywhere to see the rights of our citizens and the honor of our flag thoroughly vindicated, but the people manifestly wish to have all the facts placed before them before plunging into war. There is no doubt that what is absurdly called the "country press" takes a far more sober and sensible view of this sudden difficulty than we find in some New York papers. The Springfield *Republican*, and many other able newspapers which might be mentioned, scout the idea of war and at least ask for a fair hearing of both sides. For once, at any rate, the "country press" reflects with greater accuracy than the New York press the opinions of the people.—*N. Y. Times*, Nov. 27.

FAILURE OF THE PRINTERS' STRIKE IN PITTSBURG.—A dispatch of November 27th from Pittsburg says: The trouble between the printers of this city and the proprietors of the daily press culminated to-day. A meeting of the Typographical Union No. 7 was held at 3 o'clock P. M., and after a heated discussion a motion was offered and carried by a majority to disband the Union and surrender their Charter. Many members protested against this action, but they were overruled, and the Charter will be returned to the national body. The Union made a bold fight, but have ignominiously failed. The city is overrun by strange printers, and many men who have resided here for years will be compelled to seek work in other locations, as employers are very determined in their opposition to the leaders of the Union.

Arrival and Departure of Mails at the Portland Post Office.

East and California through mail arrives daily at 4:20 p. m. Closes at 6:30 a. m.

Way mail going south on the East Side R. R. for Oregon and Northern California arrives daily at [illegible]. Closes at [illegible].

West Side R. R. for Hillsboro and Forest Grove, arrives daily at [illegible] p. m. Closes at [illegible] a. m.

The Dalles and Eastern Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at [illegible] p. m. Closes at [illegible] p. m.

Kalama, Olympia, St. Helens, Monticello, Rainier, Astoria, arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at about [illegible]. Closes at [illegible].

Sauvie's Island and Mount Coffin, Skamokawa, Cathlamet, Eagle Cliff, Oak Point, leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday, arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at about [illegible] p. m. Closes at [illegible].

Scappoose, Westport, [illegible] Slough, leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arrives Monday, Wednesday and Friday at about [illegible] p. m. Closes at [illegible] a. m.

Knappa [illegible] leaves Thursday, arrives Friday about [illegible]. Closes at [illegible] a. m.

Lafayette via Tualatin, Middleton and Newberg [illegible] leaves Saturday, arrives Friday at 7 p. m. Closes at [illegible] a. m.

Salem via Damascus, Eagle Creek, Cuttingsville, Butte Creek and Silverton, leaves Tuesday, arrives Friday at [illegible] p. m. Closes at 9 p. m.

[illegible] leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at [illegible].

[illegible] W. T. leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at [illegible] p. m.

Sitka [illegible] once a month.

San Francisco, Cal., by steamer each Friday.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD

ITS LIABILITY TO J. B. MONTGOMERY

[From the Tacoma Tribune Nov. 29.]

Mr. Edward Bingham, Montgomery's clerk and financial agent, has been in Tacoma to-day, for the purpose of receiving the final accounts of the late railroad employes and giving them time checks for the amounts due. He gave us the following dispatch for publication, which, as everything else in relation to this matter, is quite interesting at this time:

NEW YORK, Nov. 22, 1873.

To Henry Failing and Edward Bingham: The company owe Montgomery one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. We cannot realize immediately from our resources to meet this amount, and advise his creditors their wisest course is to wait reasonable time, till payment can be made by the company.

G. W. CASS,
President N. P. R. R. Co.

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DAILY TRAINS WILL RUN BETWEEN

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

[illegible] Monday, Oct. [illegible], As follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	8.15 A. M.	Roseburg	7.15 P. M.
Roseburg	5.15 A. M.	Portland	[illegible] P. M.

SALEM EXPRESS--DAILY.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	[illegible] P. M.	Salem	[illegible] P. M.
Salem	4.15 A. M.	Portland	8.45 A. M.

Freight Trains run daily (Sunday excepted) between

PORTLAND AND JUNCTION

As follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	[illegible] A. M.	Junction	[illegible] P. M.
Junction	4.30 A. M.	Portland	[illegible] P. M.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the [illegible] of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

Tickets for sale to all the principal points in California and the East at Company's Office.

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Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight received for shipment up to 4 P. M.

J. BRANDT, Jr., Sup't.

E. P. ROGERS, Gen'l Freight and [illegible]

The Oregon Central R. R. Co.,

WILL ON AND AFTER MONDAY, SEPT. 15, 1873, and until further notice, run FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAINS [illegible]

PORTLAND TO ST. JOSEPH

Connecting at Cornelius with Stages for [illegible] at St. Joseph for [illegible] South and [illegible] Lafayette, McMinnville, Amity, Monmouth, [illegible] dence, Buena Vista and Corvallis.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7.30 A. M.	St. Joseph	11.44 A. M.
St. Joseph	[illegible] P. M.	Portland	[illegible] P. M.

LEAVING		ARRIVING	
Portland	[illegible] P. M.	St. Joseph	[illegible] P. M.
St. Joseph	[illegible] A. M.	Portland	[illegible] A. M.

[illegible] received at Fourth [illegible] signaling the train.

Freight received at the Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, and will not be received for shipment after 5 P. M.

H. THIELSEN, General Sup't.

J. GASTON, Freight and Passenger Agent.

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A PURSE CONTAINING A SUM OF MONEY. The owner can have the same by calling at the stable corner of Seventh and Stark streets at 12 o'clock M., proving property and paying the cost of this notice. d2d2t

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 4, 1873.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Readers of the OREGONIAN have had an opportunity of perusing the President's message for themselves, and forming their own opinions in regard to it. The document seems to us, in some respects, a remarkable one. The strong and clear views of the President on the questions most prominently before the people of the country just at this moment—the complications with Spain, the character of the dominant party in Cuba, and the duty of the United States in connection therewith; the financial situation of the country and the various theories upon which a remedy for existing evils is proposed—are quite above the average of similar State papers. The President of the United States has looked the practical questions of the day squarely in the face, and speaks about them as one who is in earnest. No one can read the message carefully without being impressed that whatever may be the extent to which men may reasonably differ upon the matters discussed, the President understands himself perfectly, and has all his ideas well defined in his own mind. What he speaks of he has evidently thought upon intently and to purpose. We like such a manly document as this.

But there is one thing in the message that surprises us, and which we cannot believe will be received without question by the country at large. We refer to the proposition to amend the Constitution of the United States so as to prohibit Congress, in extra session, from considering any matter except such as may be brought forward by the President; and also so as to empower the President to veto such parts of any acts of Congress as he may not approve of, without vetoing the whole act. It requires no very deep reasoning to enable one to see that these amendments to the Constitution would augment the powers of the President to an extent which might well alarm the nation. It is but yesterday we had a president who, with this power in his hands, would have ruled and ruined this Republic in the interests of the Ku Klux of the South, instead of finding himself driven to the utmost extremities to avoid the political and social death of a successful impeachment. We shall refer to this matter again, believing that if Congress should by any means be led to forward the views presented upon this subject, it will inevitably bring disaster upon the country sooner or later; unless, indeed, representative government, in the broad, popular sense in which it is accepted in the United States, is itself an evil to be got rid of quietly since it can not be overthrown forcibly—a view we trust the country is not yet ready to adopt.

CHIEF JUSTICE WILLIAMS.

While the appointment of Hon. Geo. H. Williams as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States is an honor of which Oregon may well feel a local pride, we feel assured it is a selection that will not fail to reflect credit upon the Administration and prove fortunate for the public service. Our personal relations with this distinguished citizen of our State, have been such as might produce in our judgment a bias in his favor, but his great success in every one of the many responsible and difficult positions he has occupied before the public, is a higher evidence of his superior mind than the judgment of any single individul could be, however free from undue prepossessions that individual might be. As Chief Justice of Oregon Territory, as a Senator representing Oregon in the United States Senate, as a member of the Joint High Commission that framed the Treaty of Washington, under which the Alabama Claims and the San Juan Island question were adjusted upon terms most flattering to our country, as a member of the Cabinet; he has always distinguished himself. We have no fears that he will not do equal honor to himself and give equally distinguished services to his country as the first of her judicial officers.

IMPORTANT TO INSURERS.

In the *Insurance Age* for October we find an opinion by the Attorney-General of Indiana, to the effect that insurance placed either directly or indirectly in companies that have not complied with the laws of the State in which the insured property is situated, cannot be sued for in any court, Federal or State, and in the event of loss under such policies the assured are left at the mercy of the companies. The *Age* quotes the opinion as follows, with appended comments:

"As the statute prohibits any foreign insurance company, *directly or indirectly*, to take risks or *transact any business* of insurance in this State, without first procuring the certificate of the Auditor, this includes a prohibition upon any person or corporation, not duly authorized by such certificate, *from acting in any capacity* as such insurance agent, either by *soliciting applications or collecting moneys upon premiums*. A policy issued by an agent, in violation of a law which declares his act to be criminal, has been decided by our Supreme Court, in 20th Indiana, p. 520, to be void, after a destruction of the property insured. And in a recent case, not yet reported, of Hoffman vs Banks, decided January 22d, 1873, the same court decided that a note given for a premium agreed to be paid for a policy issued by an agent who had not complied with said law, by procuring and filing the certificate, was void."

Since the delivery of the above opinion the question arose in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Indiana in a suit brought by an insurance company upon an agent's bond, for moneys collected by him, and the court held (Justice Davis of the Supreme Court, presiding,) that the sureties on the bond were not liable for the defalcation of the agent, *because there had not been a compliance with the laws in filing a certificate and statement in the county in which the business had been transacted*. The principle evolved is, that the whole transaction being in violation of the laws neither party can go into a court for redress. The Kentucky Court of Appeals, in the case of the Franklin Insurance Company vs Louisville and Arkansas Packet Company held the defence relied on in answer to be good, viz: that the contract of insurance was invalid, having been made by the plaintiffs in the State of Kentucky through their agent in violation of the laws of that State, said plaintiffs having failed to comply with the condition prescribed by the law of that State, upon which alone, they could, through their agent have lawfully transacted within it any business of insurance. In other words, it prohibited the business, so far as carried on in violation of law on the ground that the contract was illegal and accordingly the decision of the lower court, refusing to enforce it, was sustained.

From these decisions it will be seen that insurance placed in companies that have not complied with the laws of their States, either to the principal or the agent, cannot be sued for in any court, Federal or State, and that the assured are left *entirely at the mercy* of such insuring companies, in case of loss under their policies.

Under the laws of this state, insurance companies seeking to do business here, are required to comply with certain well-defined conditions, and, according to the foregoing decisions, insurance placed in companies that have not complied with our laws is of questionable value.

All day yesterday the line south of Yreka was in bad working order. We had hoped to be able to present the remainder of the President's message to-day but we are unable to do so. In all probability we shall receive it to-night.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Johnston Whitmore, in Washington County, by Judge T. D. Humphreys, Mr Erastus Savage Jr. and Francis E. Whitmore.

At the residence of Noah Mull, in Washington county, Oregon, by Riley Cave, J. P., Mr. Calvin Jack and Miss Elizabeth A. Masters.

DIED.

In this city, Dec 3, Geo. Skidmore, infant son of Chas. E. and Ada M. Sitton.

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W. B. GILBERT, Esq. .... Portland .... Dec. 10.
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The Second Lecture of the Course will be delivered by W. B. GILBERT, Esq., of Portland, on
Wednesday Evening, Dec. 10, 1873,
At 7½ o'clock.
Subject—"LIFE IN VENEZUELA."

This Lecture contains a narrative of events connected with the Williams' College Natural History Expedition to South America. Mr Gilbert was a member of that Expedition or rather of that division of it which landed in Venezuela, explored the table lands about Caracas and Valencia, and then crossed the continent by way of the Apure, the Orinoco, the Negro and the Amazon. The Lecturer will treat, among other things, of the people of Venezuela, their customs and home life; of Venezuelan Revolutions; of modes of travel; of animal and vegetable life on the great rivers of the interior.

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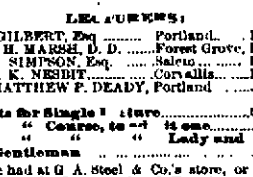

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1. Pianoforte Selection, BY PROFESSOR JAMES GANS.
2. Grand Italian Aria, from "Martha" ... Flotow
MASTER J. W. McKENZIE.
3. Morceaux de chant [illegible] Tantum Ergo ...
MADAME LAURA STEVENSON.
4. Cornet Solo "Last Rose of Summer" ... Martha
MASTER J. W. McKENZIE.
5. English Cavatina "The Echo Song" (by request) —Sir H. Bishop
MADAME LAURA STEVENSON
With Cornet obligato by Master McKenzie.
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6. Vocal Duet "Parigi O Cara" ... Verdi
MADAME STEVENSON and MASTER McKENZIE.
(Short Intermission.)

PART II.

1. Instrumental
2. Old Ballad "Sally in Our Alley" ... Carey
MASTER J. W. McKENZIE.
3. Irish Ballad, "The Minstrel Boy" —Moore's Melodies
MADAME LAURA STEVENSON.
4. Descriptive Song, "When the Tide Comes In" ... Millard
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5. French song, "Salut a la France" ... Fille du Regiment
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6. Vocal Duet "Home Sweet Home" ... Martha
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I will sell at my Auction Salesroom, on
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3, 1873,
At 10 o'clock A. M.,
ALSO,
BEDROOM, DININGROOM AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.
ALSO,
25 cases COAL OIL;
200 bxs CANDLES;
100 doz TIN PLATES;
125 doz London CUPS and SAUCERS;
125 bxs TOILET SOAP;
100 bxs Family SOAP;
100 doz LAMPS;
10 doz HAT RACKS;
50 bxs WASHING FLUID;
10,000 CIGARS;
5 cases TOBACCO.
ALSO,
PARLOR, BEDROOM, DININGROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

SPECIAL SALE
OF
Elegant Household Furniture.
I will sell on the premises, residence of J. Pat. Smith, Esq., Fourth street, between Washington and Alder, on
FRIDAY, DEC. 5, 1873,
At 10 o'clock, A. M.,
PARLOR FURNITURE.
One Elegant Rosewood Piano;
One " " Organ;
One " " Parlor Set.
One " " Whatnot.
One " Mirror, French Plate;
60 yds Body Brussels Carpet.
ALSO,
BEDROOM FURNITURE.
One Elegant Rosewood Bedroom Set;
One " Black Walnut " "
ALSO,
Hair and Spring Mattresses, Feather Pillows and Bolsters, Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Slips, [illegible] etc., etc.
ALSO,
One EXTENSION TABLE.
ALSO,
Fine Cut Glass Decanters, Tumblers, Wineglasses, Crockery, &c.
ALSO,
One Side Board, marble top.
ALSO,
Brussels Carpet, Oil Cloth, &c.
ALSO,
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INSURANCE.

HOME
MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
Fire and Marine Insurance.
Capital .... $1,000,000.
JOHN H. REDINGTON .... President.
GEO. H. HOWARD .... Vice President.
CHAS. R. STORY .... Secretary.
N. B. EDDY .... Marine [illegible]
H. M. BIGELOW .... G[illegible]

DIRECTORS:
Oregon Branch.
PORTLAND...P. W[illegible]man, C. H. Lewis, [illegible]smith, D. Macleay, Lloyd Brooke.
SALEM .... L. F. Gr[illegible]
ALBANY .... J. A. C[illegible]
DALLES .... B. M. F[illegible]
LEWISTON .... J. Lo[illegible]
HAMILTON [illegible]
Agent for Oregon and Washington T.

STORAGE.
THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED TO RECEIVE on Storage,
GENERAL MERCHANDISE, GRAIN AND PRODUCE,
In their Warehouse on Front street, just below R. R. Ferry Landing.
BARNARD & GRISWOLD.

Diaries for 1874.
A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
AT
J. K. GILL & CO'S.

Something New!
JONES' SPRING BED!
BEST IN USE!
Cheaper and more serviceable than the [illegible] Mattress, for sale by
BARNARD & GRISWOLD,
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Front Street, next to R. R. Ferry Landing.

NEW STORE.
PITT A. EDDY & CO.,
Have opened a fine Stock of
FAMILY GROCERIES, Etc., Etc.,
In Spaulding's New Building,
First Street, near Taylor.
CALL ON THEM.

PAUL SCHOEN,
PIANO TUNER,
REPAIRER AND REGULATOR,
FROM THE HOUSE OF MATTHIAS GRAY,
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The only tuner, with one exception to whom Mr. Gray has ever given a written recommendation.
ORDERS LEFT AT
GRAY'S MUSIC STORE,
n11tm Promptly attended to.

TOYS! TOYS!
Everything New
IN TOYS AND FANCY GOODS,
At CHAS. C. BARRETT'S,
79 Front Street, Portland.

NOTICE.
MR. GEORGE L. DePRANS HAVING THIS DAY resigned the management of my business here I have appointed in his stead Mr. F. J. BENITZ who will collect all accounts and conduct the business as heretofore.
MATTHIAS GRAY.
Portland, Nov. 28th, 1873. d1dtw

AND COMMISSION.

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FRONT AND OAK STS.

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING DEC 4, 1873

CITY.

THE INSANE ASYLUM.—Under the heading of A Good Work the Oregon Churchman says The physician who has charge of the Insane Asylum at East Portland—Dr Hawthorne—takes the merciful interest of a Christian in the unfortunate beings entrusted to his care Religious services with the exciting of preaching have long been recognized of great good influence upon this class of persons Music is said to have a peculiarly soothing effect upon them The pastors of the various churches in the city have been in the habit of officiating there by turns But the need of a musical instrument has long been felt The physician generously offered to bear one third of the cost of a proper organ if the other two thirds could be gotten elsewhere Some time ago when Bishop Morris was officiating there he promised to bear a part of the expense On a late occasion the Rector of Trinity Church offered his mite and also to solicit aid elsewhere Since then the Rev T L Eliot has promised the handsome sum of $25 thus nearly raising the amount The organ will cost $100 A little more is needed It is a good work and one which we feel many would like to help forward Who will hand to us the remaining sum? Anything sent to the Rev George Burton will be gratefully acknowledged

NEARLY FINISHED.—The work on St Luke's Church in Vancouver we learn is going steadily on This building was enclosed last spring and the first service held in it on the first Sunday in March During the autumn a brick foundation was placed under the building instead of the wooden blocks first put under since that, work has been going on in the interior the ends having been ceiled the full height and the sides to the roof of the arch It is the intention to case the windows and doors this winter, but the ceiling of the arch which is a high Gothic one, running through the center of the building must be left till another season for the want of funds unless some kind friends should step in and lend a helping hand The chancel which is temporarily boarded across in front as well as the spire must be left till the parish have the means to complete them A debt of about $500 was incurred during the inclosing of the building, but the money has been raised for what has been done since

SCHOOL FUNDS.—An "Old Subscriber" writes to us for information as to when the suit will come on for trial that is to decide whether School District No 1 is to be bound by the law compelling the use of certain text books in the public schools of the State "We are not in possession of the information desired and further we believe that no such suit as referred to by our correspondent has been commenced Such an action could not be commenced until a demand for the portion of the school fund due the district was made and payment refused Should such circumstances arise the matter of the constitutionality of the law could be tested by an argued case submitted to the courts as it could only involve questions of law and not of facts The Board of Directors of this district we believe have taken such steps in regard to the adoption of the books provided by law as will at some future time bring about such an issue but at present it is not pending

THE LECTURE.—Rev Thomas Condon delivered a very interesting lecture last evening at the First Congregational Church in this city His subject was "Teeth and Claws and their Lesson" The lecture consumed more than an hour in its delivery, and was from opening to close replete with interesting thought and valuable information. Mr Condon has won the reputation of being one of the most able, pleasing and instructive lecturers in the State His effort last evening was up in all respects to the usual standard of excellence He was listened to by a large and cultivated audience Mr Condon had the honor of delivering the first lecture of the course W. B Gilbert, Esq, a young lawyer of the city will deliver the second lecture of the course next Wednesday evening His subject will be "Life in Venezuela." It promises to be of unusual interest The forthcoming course opens with very encouraging omens of success

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Owing to an accident which befel Dr Lindsley this Church was not opened last Sunday. Hence we are requested to give the following information The Preparatory Lecture will be delivered this (Thursday) evening At the close of which, the reception of new members will be in order The Young Ladies' Sewing Society will meet on Friday evening at Mrs Hensill's Public worship will be conducted next Sunday morning by the Pastor At the close the secular collection will be taken up for the poor and the communion will be administered to the Church and invited guests All who have ever made a public profession of faith in Christ and desire now to commune are invited On Sunday evening the pulpit will be filled by the Rev Mr Izer

COST OF THE TERM.—Running the Circuit Court is a piece of expensive work for the county finances if results can have any significance. The administration of justice is very necessary to the peace of the community, and the protection of life and property but like any other necessary evil, it must be paid for The present term of the Circuit Court has thus far cost the county about the sum of $3 000 The fees of petit jurors alone amount to $1 862 50 for grand jurors $214 60 witnesses on attendance before the Grand Jury, $438 90 witnesses in attendance on the Circuit Court, $1 214 10 The remaining sum was expended in defraying the necessary expenses of the Court

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon December 3, 1873

	7 A M	2 P M	8 P M
Thermometer	25°	29°	30°
Wind direction	E	E	E
velocity miles pr hour	6	12	8
Weather	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Rainfall			0.00 inches

At 4 30 this morning, the Thermometer indicated a temperature of 23° being the lowest recorded since the establishment of the station in November 1871

RETURNED.—The wounded and discharged soldier Patrick Doyle returned to this city from Salem yesterday He speaks in the highest terms of the people of the Capital for their liberality towards him He was introduced by Gen Miller to Gov Grover who rendered him material assistance Gen Miller furnished him with a certificate to the effect that he (M) was present when Doyle was wounded [illegible] Mr Shriver of Salem presented Doyle with a sash and belt of which he is quite proud

GONE TO SALEM.—Judge Upton having refused to grant a stay of proceedings in the case of [illegible] Glass under sentence of the court that person was conveyed to Salem yesterday morning in custody of Deputy Sheriff [illegible] [illegible] exceptions has been filed in the case and an appeal taken to the Supreme Court The court will convene on next Monday [illegible] final disposition of the case soon made

CHANGE OF TIME.—Passengers for San Francisco will take note of the change of time of the sailing of the steamer Ajax She sails this afternoon at [illegible] o'clock

PERSONAL

The New York Herald of Nov 22d says [illegible] and J W N Smith of Oregon has arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel

Among the passengers who arrived on the Ajax was [illegible] Mr Mitchell of [illegible], the manufacturer of the celebrated Mitchell wagon

G W R[illegible] of Toledo Ohio having [illegible] San Francisco for the purpose [illegible] grain trade is on a visit to [illegible] with a view [illegible] the trade in Oregon grain

[illegible]—Watches [illegible] Stone

CLOTHING AT COST.—Now is the time to make a purchase of winter clothing If you have not done so make a point to consult L KOHN & CO who are ready to show you the finest assortment of goods ever displayed in the city They have the largest store and are thus enabled to lay in an immense stock There is no denying the fact You need not hesitate about prices as they have put the figures down to show but a small margin to themselves The place is opposite the National Bank

SCHULTZ INTERVIEWED

For some reason Schultz was not taken to Salem yesterday morning in custody of Superintendent Watkinds His unexpected detention in the city afforded an opportunity for an interview with this somewhat notorious character Accompanied by representatives of the press attached to the other dailies we repaired to the city jail, where he spent Tuesday night and after a few minutes spent in preliminaries the reporters were favored with an introduction to Schultz He was conducted to the office, and after seating himself in a chair inquired what the reporters desired of him On being told that an account of his travels and adventures from the time his escape was effected from the penitentiary until his recapture a few weeks ago would be very acceptable, Schultz smiled and did not seem much inclined to accede to such a request In fact the interview was very unsatisfactory as he manifested a good deal of hesitancy and caution Many of his replies were indirect and evasive Other important queries he refused to answer at all From his manner of talking we are strongly inclined to believe that most of the information he gave is not to be relied implicitly upon—at least ought to be regarded with a large measure of allowance We give the following account gleaned from his fragmentary and detached statements of his travels doings and whereabouts during the last two and a half years

Schultz effected his escape from the State penitentiary on the night of June 8th 1871 After effecting his escape he managed to work his way by traveling at night down to Astoria Just when and where he succeeded in getting rid of the Gardner shackles with which both ankles were encumbered is not known For when interrogated on that point he laughingly replied "O I mesmerized them and presto change and off they came" He also refused to tell how he got rid of his raccoon suit After reaching Astoria he worked his way south along down the coast as far as Humboldt Bay The first settlement he came to was Eureka He wandered in the mountains all the way down and was most of the distance in sight of the ocean It was during the warm summer season, and he did not suffer with the cold during the nights An abundance of all kinds of berries was met with on which he solely subsisted for many weeks For more than two months he was never seen by a white man although he said he saw a number but always avoided observation He was completely worn out and exhausted when he arrived at Eureka He remained there a few days and then started for the interior of California After traversing Mendocino and Sonoma counties he reached a little half Spanish town in Santa Cruz county called Coralitos Here he found a family who knew him in the early days of California Soon after reaching Coralitos he fell sick of a fever He was prostrated with illness for a long time and came near dying several times At length he recovered and was able to work The kind friend with whom he was staying gave him employment in driving a team He stated that he remained in Santa Cruz county and drove a team for more than two years During all that time he never met any one with whom he was previously acquainted, and was never recognized He met numberless times Sheriff Adams the man who arrested him finally but that officer never imagined that Schultz was an escaped convict until some one who identified him pointed the man out Schultz declares that the man who betrayed him was named Moorehead This man once resided in Portland, and no doubt had often seen Schultz While he was out, Schultz says he never heard that a reward was offered for his recapture He never had the slightest intimation that he was discovered until Sheriff Adams arrested him at San Jose About the report that he has visited South America since he escaped he made sport of If he had ever touched South America he would never have visited Oregon or California any more There was not the slightest foundation for the report To the question of "Why did you remain in California, and not go further away?" he jestingly replied, "Because I was a d—d big fool"

Schultz appeared to be in good health, and in rather cheerful spirits considering the fact that he was going back to the Penitentiary He seemed, however, to be more reckless than cheerful When talking about the great excitement which was created in and about Portland during the summer and fall of 1870 on account of his presence, he laughed heartily He said nearly all the stories about his acts of reckless daring were pure creations of fancy and there was no truth in them At present Schultz will weigh about 180 lbs He gives his age at 35 years although his looks indicate that he is more advanced in years—at least 40 He has evidently undergone many privations and much exposure, and looks leathery and weather beaten He possesses that characteristic restless uneasy active, and the same quick, catlike glances of the eye under his heavy scowling brows which indicate a tireless physical activity, and a cool calculating determination He holds in reserve a large degree of discretion and cautiousness but withal a great deal of reckless daring Under the most exciting circumstances he would act cool and be self possessed, but yet would take the most desperate chances No one can converse with Schultz any length of time and not be convinced that he is never asleep—that like a kicking mule he will bear watching all the time Superintendent Watkinds took him to Salem last evening on the express train

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J

WEDNESDAY Dec 3 1873

Grand Jury called—R R Riley absent

Recess till 1 o clock

United States vs Hong Goy—Retailing cigars without paying special tax defendant withdraws plea of not guilty, and pleads guilty Sentenced to pay fine of $10

Adjourned till to morrow at 10 A M

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON, J

IN PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of Chas Barrett, deceased order that Lloyd Brooke T J Dryer and A P Johnson be appointed appraisers of said estate

COMMISSIONERS

In the matter of the petition of Wm Sherlock and others for the relocation of the county road leading north from the city of Portland ordered that Lloyd Brooke A Murkhard and T J Dryer be appointed viewers and C W Burrage Surveyor to meet on Saturday Dec 13th at 10 o'clock A M at Former Dryer's office and after being duly sworn proceed to view out said change of road as prayed for

Ordered that the sum of $25 be appropriated for the relief and benefit of Mrs Riverstein of East Portland and the Clerk be authorized to issue a warrant in her favor for that amount

Ordered that Rosenstock be admitted to the County Hospital

In the matter of the petition of Edwin Russel and others for a change in location of part of the Vancouver road ordered that Dr J C Hawthorne H Cason and O M V Bernard be appointed viewers with C W Burrage Surveyor to view out and survey said relocation as prayed for

TWENTY-THIRD BIRTHDAY

To day this paper celebrates its twenty third birthday On the 4th day of December 1850 the WEEKLY OREGONIAN was first issued in Portland Until the year 1861 only a weekly journal was published but on the 4th day of February of that year the DAILY OREGONIAN was first issued For 23 years the weekly has never failed to reach its thousands of readers and for [illegible] years the daily has without an exception unfolded its [illegible] pages laden with the latest [illegible] and interesting news of the day to its many subscribers six mornings in every week In growth, both the daily and weekly for these long years has steadily increased The journal in its quiet unassuming [illegible] course has gradually gathered strength and widened the boundaries of its influence and [illegible] During its long and [illegible] the sudden springing into existence of many rival journals but after an ephemeral life [illegible] the OREGONIAN is the oldest living [illegible] established journal published on the northwest coast

As a certain [illegible] but very few changes have [illegible] since its issuance [illegible] three changes of proprietorship In [illegible] the WEEKLY [illegible] issued 1,000 papers With the issue of this morning there have been sent forth [illegible] numbers of the DAILY The many friends patrons and readers of the DAILY and WEEKLY OREGONIAN have [illegible] congratulation

Keep your Watch in order [illegible] go to Stone's

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING DECEMBER 3 1873

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to ordinance His Honor Mayor H Failing in the chair

Present—W S Caldwell, Clerk, J H Lappeus, Chief of Police Councilmen Besser Burton Caywood Hoyt Hill Lyon Russell and Story

Absent—Councilman Moreland

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The following message from His Honor the Mayor was read

TO THE HONORABLE THE COMMON COUNCIL

The ordinance passed by your body on the 19th inst, "authorizing a contract for supplying the fire [illegible] with water" has been carefully considered

I fully concurred with the Council that the demand of the Water Company was exorbitant and have been disposed to approve any measure which would reduce the cost of water and at the same time guarantee the necessary supply for protection against fire

I do not doubt the practicability of supplying the cisterns and keeping them filled at ordinary times by the means provided for in the ordinance But the possible difficulty in keeping up the supply during a large fire by the same means (all supply from the hydrants to cisterns being cut off) is a matter of such serious moment, that I concluded to ascertain definitely before approving the ordinance whether the rate charged by the Water Company as per bills presented to the Council was its ultimatum

My inquiry of the Water Company was limited to this point and made only in order to determine for myself, what course to pursue in reference to the ordinance I did not feel at liberty to represent the views of the city authorities as to what would be a proper rate as that properly belongs to the Council or its committee

I herewith submit the reply of the Water Company in which they allege that there is a great and unnecessary waste of water and assign that as a reason for the exorbitant rate which they have named and proffering reduced rates if the wastage be stopped If the representations of the Company as to wastage be well founded the Council can by repairs to cisterns and by making suitable regulations for the use of water from cisterns remove all cause of complaint and thus save at least $250 per month

The proposition of the Water Company includes the supply of water to public buildings and engine houses as well as for fire purposes but is at double the rate which the ordinance provides as the maximum amount to be allowed for fire purposes only under a contract

How nearly the supply of water for the engine houses &c at the rate charged to private consumers together with the wear of steam engine and hose used in filling cisterns under a contract would reach the extra sum charged by the Water Company is a matter for your investigation

In view of the rights which the Water Company enjoy by grant from the city I regard the proposition now submitted as unreasonably high but the amount now named is so much less than the demand upon which the action of the Council was based in passing the ordinance and the question of supply during such fires as we have been visited with the past year is of so grave a character, that I feel warranted in returning the ordinance for your reconsideration HENRY FAILING

Portland Nov 29 1873

The following is the communication from the Portland Water Company which accompanied the foregoing message and referred to therein

OFFICE PORTLAND WATER CO
Portland, Nov 2[illegible], 1873

HON HENRY FAILING Mayor City of Portland—*Dear Sir* The Portland Water Company would respectfully call your Honor's attention to a report of the Committee on Fire and Water made to the Common Council the first day of October said report stating the terms this Company were willing to furnish water to the city

Now sir while we are convinced it is worth $750 per month to supply the city with the amount of water taken from our mains during the past year we are willing to supply the city with water for *legitimate* and *proper* fire purposes including Council rooms jail and engine houses *for five hundred dollars per month* It has been our business and interest to carefully notice and consider the useless and extravagant waste of water by the Fire Department at their drills, as well as engine houses

This Company has frequently called attention to the leaky condition of many of the cisterns and several hydrants We are convinced that water to the value of two hundred and fifty dollars per month is needlessly wasted and of no benefit to the city but a continual draft upon our mains

If your Honor and the Common Council will by ordinance or otherwise cause the cisterns to be made tight and stop the useless waste of water by the Fire Department, the Portland Water Company is willing to contract with the city for a legitimate and proper supply of water for fire purposes including engine and hook and ladder houses, council room and jail, for $500 per month and will then consider themselves better paid than at $750 per month and the same amount of water wasted that has been the past year

This Company has taken the liberty of calling your Honor's attention to the foregoing facts, and would respectfully add While we are willing and glad to see a spirit of economy manifested by your Honor and the Council, and expressing our willingness to furnish water to the city for legitimate purposes for $500 per month we do not see why so large an amount of water should be wasted benefiting no one but being at the expense of the Water Company

All of which is respectfully submitted
THE PORTLAND WATER COMPANY
By H C LEONARD Secretary

The question being, "shall the ordinance pass notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, the ordinance was read and the vote being taken, resulted 4 ayes and 5 noes So the ordinance was declared lost

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor was read and placed on file

PORTLAND OGN Dec 1st 1873

TO THE HONORABLE THE COMMON COUNCIL

Having some time since disapproved an Ordinance fixing the compensation of Superintendent of Streets identical in its provisions with the Ordinance similarly entitled and passed by your Honorable Body on the 19th ultimo and the Council having by united vote at its last meeting declined to give immediate effect to the Ordinance providing for retrenchment in the Street department I have suffered the Ordinance passed on the 19th ult above referred to to become a law without my approval

I have taken this course because of a disinclination to needlessly multiply vetoes in a case where the opinion of the Council had been so clearly expressed and not because I have changed my opinion or cease to disapprove of what I deem an unwarranted extravagance as the Street department is now conducted and must be under the present ordinances for the ensuing seven months

Respectfully
HENRY FAILING Mayor

The matters referred to in the communication of the Portland Water Company with the message of the Mayor which it accompanied were referred to the Committee on Fire and Water

PETITIONS MEMORIALS ETC

The petition of Bishop Morris for leave to withdraw his petition for the vacation of a part of a street was read and the prayer thereof granted

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Ways and Means reported that they had awarded the sale of $20,000 Fire Department Bonds to the First National Bank as agents at [illegible] per cent premium that being the highest bid therefor

The Committee on Fire and Water returned certain ordinances heretofore referred to them Report received and accompanying papers placed on file

THE CITY ATTORNEYSHIP

The select committee to which was referred the matter of dereliction of the City Attorney in the discharge of his duties submitted a report which was laid on the table without being read

[illegible]

The Auditor reported that the City Assessor had filed the Assessment Roll for 1873 and that the proper notice had been given

The Auditor reported that pursuant to an order of the Council [illegible] warrants had been issued and levied upon certain property delinquent for street assessments, and that there were grave doubts as to whether said property would bring the amount of assessments thereon The matter was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

The following claims against the city were ordered paid J K Gill & Co $68 H W Corbett $20 Portland Gas Light Co, (2 bills) $60 Geo H Himes & Co, $13 Chas Lawrence $120 J H Butler (2 bills), $66 Bellinger & Curry $[illegible] Geo H Himes & Co $7[illegible] Portland Gas Light Co $2 240 R H [illegible] $27 W S Halpruner $112 C Crich $68 [illegible] Steamer Ajax $1 58 to Home Mutual Insurance Co $90 0 J M Frank $62 Geo Herrall $31 42 J Ackley, $10 00 Robert Evans $180 J W Powers $160 90 The bill of M S Burke for $[illegible] was referred to the Committee on Fire and Water

On motion Dr Kellogg was allowed to come within the bar and make such statement as to the bill of Mrs Brown as he might see fit He came within the bar and made a statement in regard to the bill that it had been necessary to employ the lady to attend a smallpox patient

The bill of the Portland Water Co $750 was laid on the table

TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

The report of the committee in the matter of the investigation of the charges against the City Attorney was taken from the table and recommitted to the same committee with instructions to report as provided by rules of the Common Council

ORDINANCES

An ordinance providing for printing the city charter and certain ordinances in book form, was read a first and second time rule suspended ordinance read a third time and passed

An ordinance to legalize certain expenditures out of the Park fund was read a third time and passed

An ordinance, to provide for drawing warrants for the payment of salaries and other purposes, was read a third time and passed

On motion the Auditor was instructed to draw a warrant in payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Streets from Sept 1 1873

MISCELLANEOUS

The Committee on River Improvements was instructed to report an ordinance providing for the sale of the dredger, snag puller and appurtenances

On motion the Council adjourned

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The following are the arrivals at the principal hotels of the city yesterday

AMERICAN EXCHANGE.

M Gleason San Francisco
W Terry Salem
W Gleadye & wife Vancouver
F F Pomeroy Cornelius
J W Jordan Hillsboro
J P Kilsey Kalama
A Cisco Oswego
E H Steward Dayton
W S Dunston St Helens
H T Martin Walla Walla
J Howard Dayton
W Kitteridge S F
R Pierce Nevada
F Short Walla Walla
F Morst & wife Vancouver
J M Tardingar Dalles
H Price Dalles
J Crouse Dalles
W E Teacher Sauvie's Island
G H Webber Vancouver
W S Linnville Salem
C Hart, Salem
S Miller Tacoma
C W Morgan & family Sauvie's Island
T Jones Sauvie's Island
F B Hubner Vancouver
J P Neville Vancouver
H Copely Vancouver
G Hudbuck Vancouver
B Michael Vancouver
E Yaubert Vancouver
W Thompson Vancouver

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

J H Curtis Wisconsin
James Harper New Orleans
W Rasendorf Independence
H J Price Seattle
S Kakehi Japan
T Fazuka Japan
H C Hall Dalles
John Daugherty Salem
J H Bell Freeport
D Deitz, Salem
John Preston Lewiston
W Kinney, Selo
John McFarland Selo
J H Lists Salem
Jakio Haki Japan
H Linville Salem
W S Linville Salem
D H Perkins Lafayette
C H Fletcher Baker City
Eli Keeney Baker City
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THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 4, 1873

ONLY A TINY THING

'Twas a tiny rosewood thing,
[illegible] and glittering,
With its stars of silver white,
[illegible] blank and bright,
Downy pillowed, satin lined,
That I, [illegible] chanced to find
Mid the dust and scent and gloom
Of the undertaker's room,
Waiting empty—[illegible]?

Ah! [illegible]
[illegible] night the nestling head?
Or what soft [illegible]
Is the [illegible]
Through the long, with darkened [illegible]
To listen to no lullaby,
Whitely robed still and cold,
Pale flowers slipping from its [illegible]
Shall this dainty [illegible]

Ah! what bitter tears shall stain
All this satin sheet like rain,
And what towering hopes be laid
With this tiny coffin's shade
Scarcely large enough [illegible]
Little [illegible] must be [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Sweet [illegible] and Angel face.

Oh, red sorrow [illegible]
Found [illegible]
Chill [illegible] hath [illegible]
By an infant's coffin made,
From our arms an angel flies
And our startled [illegible]
Weep [illegible] round its vacant place,
Cannot rise its path to trace,
Cannot see the angel's face.

ANONYMOUS.

THE END OF THE WORLD.

THE ADVENTISTS WAITING TO BE CAUGHT UP TO HEAVEN—PICTURE OF THE BAND SOJOURNING ON AN ISLAND IN THE CONNECTICUT.

[From the Boston Globe Nov. 4.]

On Terry's Island in the Connecticut river, about seventeen miles above Hartford, are about sixty persons of both sexes assembled awaiting the second advent of Christ which they confidently expect to-day or to-morrow or at any rate before the close of 187[illegible]. They began to congregate on the island about two weeks ago. The attendance has been variable from the beginning of the meeting, reaching as high as 200 on some days and dropping off on others to 30 or 40. When the Sun reporter reached the island last Friday morning, about sixty five Second Adventists, including the children, were found in the tents and temporary accommodations they have erected on the south side of the island for their sojourn while still on the earth. Mr. D. C. Terry, who is one of the congregation and who owns a great part of the island, answered the call at the ferry. In answer to the reporter's inquiry he said: "We expect the Lord to come before the 5th of November. We are assembled here for prayer and praise, and to await the coming. We have no objections to visitors if they do not come to scoff and turn our worship into ridicule. We are happy to answer any questions and satisfy any who doubt our sanity or our grounds of belief." Mr. Terry conducted the reporter to the tents, whose white tops had been seen peeping above the forest growth as they crossed the rapid river. The Adventists were at breakfast when the reporter reached the encampment. Two long tables, with benches on each side, accommodated the sixty under a long white tent that formed an extension to a large boarded shed, which had been used as a potato house and served for a kitchen, chapel, and sleeping apartment for the women and children of the party. Passing through the kitchen, where two large cooking stoves were doing duty, the visitor was ushered into the chapel and women's sleeping-room. The floor was formed of tanbark covered with straw. On one of the rude benches that filled the space were seated a number of men, women and children. The women and children mostly were gathered around the stove. The bedding which had been used the night before was rolled away into the corners of the apartment. There was a half upper floor curtained with sheets. This had evidently been used as a sl[illegible]. Above the pulpit hung a chart, filled with prophetic typical pictures and numbers. In one corner stood Daniel in chain armor, sword in hand, watching the stone hewn out of the mountain without hands. All the symbol[illegible] of Daniel's vision, and many of the Book of Revelations, including the scarlet-robed woman riding on the beast with seven heads and carrying the cup of her filthiness and abominations in her hand, the seven candlesticks of the seven churches of Asia and the typical figures of 1335 and 1260. In one section was a map of the world as known to the ancients and its division into three parts to Shem, Ham and Japhet. In another section were the words in large letters, "The unclean spirits—Infidelity, Papacy, Protestantism." The Adventists say they are not Protestants. They entered at once into conversation with the reporter relative to their beliefs and hopes, each one having a Bible in his or her hand and never answering a question without reference to a text of Scripture as a ground of belief. They discuss Scripture incessantly with each other in the most amicable manner and endeavor by this means to elicit all the light they can on the subject that so deeply interests them.

There was no indication of poverty among these forest worshipers. They were plainly yet neatly dressed. There was nothing grotesque or ludicrous in their manners or appearance. They are certainly the calmest most mathematical enthusiasts ever seen. The services were simple and unmarked by any enthusiasm or excitement. They do not shout as Methodists do and their hymns are sung by trained vocalists who understand music. They began with prayer, three of the men following each other in devotion. They prayed not as other denominations do for any temporal blessing; they invoked the Holy Spirit, and prayed for faith, and expressed their gratitude to God for giving them a knowledge of the truth and faith to believe it. The hymns were sung by leaders, the entire congregation joining in the choruses. The following is one of the many they sang:

Lone pilgrims in this land we roam,
We long have wandered here;
The Bible points us to our home,
And brings the Lord this year.

To Daniel God to Gabriel gave
The three times and a part,
Two thousand three hundred days
Are shown upon our chart.

Chorus—Yes, we shall meet and praise our King,
From sin and trial free;
Our glad deliverance we will sing
In eighteen seventy three.

After the prayers and hymns Brother G. W. Bishop, who twenty years ago gave up his profession as a lawyer to become a preacher of the Second Advent, and who is the editor of the *Watchman Cry*, an organ of the Adventists published in Meriden, Conn., ascended the rude pulpit, and taking a short wand in his hand began an explanation of the chart described above and his sermon. He said: "It is impossible fully to explain all that is depicted on this chart, but on it is seen sufficient to explain the words of my sermon." He rapidly ran over the principle figures of Daniel and the stone cut out of the mountain, the woman sitting on the beast with seven heads. "The Papacy has gone down lately like a millstone to come up no more. Now we expect the resurrection of the dead [illegible]. We venture everything on it. No, I don't like the word venture, for it is no venture. It is a sure prophecy that we have seen in part fulfilled, and we know it will all be accomplished. It's going to be a paying investment. He'll be here this year as sure as there is any truth in history, and prophecy, and a simple sum in addition. Why are we here on Terry's Island to-day? There is a certain type in the law that has not had its antitype. All the types up to the last have had their accomplishment and prophecies fulfilled up to the time, and [illegible] all at the time except the Feast of the Tabernacle, which has never had its antitype, and if this time is ever to be fulfilled it must be between this and the other November. To be two this day and that we expect to be caught up in the air with Christ until the heaven and earth, wherein there shall be no sea, shall be created. Some of us expect to stay on this island if we are translated. We expect the [illegible] of God this year in less than ten days. If anybody thinks we are monomaniacs let him come and try us. We have bid farewell to earthly rewards and [illegible]. We [illegible] the least regret what we have lost. We have gained an eternal weight of glory. We [illegible] to the company we are keeping. We are satisfied that we are [illegible] the Most High God, and that we shall be translated. We have portions of our company in every State and section of the Union and in the British Provinces, in England, Ireland, Scotland and Norway. We think it providential that we are so scattered. We number about 4000 in all." It is impossible to describe the calmness of conviction that rested upon the preacher's face and which was reflected in the countenances of his congregation.

At the close of the services the whole congregation repaired to the landing at the ferry, where the preacher baptized [illegible] seven candidates—two lads and five young women. The sacrament was given in the simple manner of the [illegible] Baptist churches. The water must have been icy cold. The young girls were led in, but did not seem to suffer after the ablution. They were wrapped in shawls and waterproof cloaks as they came up from the water and taken in the wagon to Mr. Terry's house on the upper end of the island to change their clothing. One of the Adventists told the reporter that they were not believers in the immortality of the soul nor in a place of eternal punishment. The gift of immortality is only for believers in Christ. All other human beings are mortals, finite, and [illegible] to them is eternal—annihilation. Mr. Charles Kittredge of New Haven is an Adventist. He has an ample fortune. He was on Terry's Island last Friday and seemed to be happy in the thought of translation. He laughed at ascension robe and told a story [illegible] that it was said he was having made in New Haven. He had heard of that robe, but he had never seen it. It was of white cloaking velvet of the best quality, costing $15 a yard. It was being made by the best artist dressmaker in New Haven in an artistic [illegible]. When completed, with lace and embroidery, it would cost $500. "But," said Mr. Kittredge, "I'll give anybody a reward of $50 to show me that robe or any other ascension robe made to my order or for any Adventist."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, December [illegible] 1873.

Gold in New York to-day 1[illegible].

Portland Legal Tenders buying 90[illegible], selling 91½.

Gold bars are quotable at 725@750 fine.

Exchange on San Francisco at par.

Wheat in Liverpool, by mail advices from San Francisco—Average California [illegible]; club [illegible]@13s 6d.

The meeting of Congress and the probability that that body will take some measures affecting national finances in an important manner have a tendency to induce rather more quiet than usual in moneyed circles. The annual message of President Grant treats quite extensively of financial matters, and suggests some radical changes in the policy of the Government in its control of the national banks, to which the attention of the public had been frequently called by writers on the subject. Upon the question of a resumption of specie payments the President seems to be in accord with Secretary Richardson, who some time ago expressed it as his judgment [illegible] payments could not be resumed until our exports, exclusive of gold, are equal in value to our imports. The intimation apparently favorable to free banking is well fortified by a recommendation that all the safeguards now required to secure bill holders be retained. The main features of the recommendations in this matter appear to be practicable, and we trust that these or other equally proper steps will be taken by Congress to effect the desired reform.

Two months, says the *Public Ledger* of Philadelphia—a very good authority in business matters—have elapsed since the country felt the shock occasioned by the failure of Jay Cooke & Co., followed closely by the failure of several other large banking houses, banks and trust companies. Many millions of dollars were involved in these failures, and not a few millions in market values were swept out of existence. Hundreds have been carried to irretrievable ruin and great pecuniary distress has been imposed upon thousands who felt reasonably secure in a competence for life. The industrial interests of the country have felt a severe shock, but so vast is our wealth and so vigorous the enterprise that characterizes almost every department of industry, we are already, in those two short months, fast [illegible] our normal condition, and in two months more trade and credit will have been so nearly established as to [illegible] scarcely a trace of the crisis that seemed for the time so formidable and in its consequences threatened to be so lasting. The financial position is much improved. Money is in easy command and at moderate rates. The banks are all paying out freely of currency, so that almost all premium upon it is lost. Traffic of all kinds is reviving, a sure evidence that prices for the present have generally touched their lowest point. The iron workers and the manufacturers of all sorts who have shut their doors upon their thousands of employes are in some cases recalling them, and the tone and temper all around indicates a cheerfulness that cannot fail to utterly dispel all apprehension of want. There is not only an improvement in the amount of business doing, but there is an assured feeling that there will be no going back on the advance made. The cotton and Western produce markets are gradually emerging from the depression they suffered a fortnight ago, and with a good market abroad will be found an admirable support for all home interests. Stock prices are also greatly assured, so that a manifest bull interest in most securities is now recognized in almost all stock markets. Let the reader but compare prices with those current a fortnight ago and note the advance here for comparison with prices two months to come.

Shipping Intelligence.

The bark Alma has begun to receive wheat.

The steamers California from Sitka and the Gussie Telfair from Sound ports are hourly expected here.

The Ajax brought 375 tons of assorted cargo, which is now being discharged. This is about the smallest freight which has been brought to port this season by steamer.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—There seems to be some disagreement between exporters as to what quotation should be given, the range being $1 [illegible]@2 05 per cental. The latter we learn has been offered for large lots with the proviso that delivery be guaranteed within a few days, which holders find to be impossible. The prospect of speedy communication by water with the upper portion of the valley is to-day less favorable, and anticipated heavy receipts from that direction at an early day may not be realized. Receipts by rail continue quite large.

FLOUR—Our market exhibits considerable activity as the season progresses, and news from the interior reports nearly all our State mills as running on full time. Prices have been quite firm for several days at $[illegible] for best brands, $[illegible] for outside and country brands of extra, and $[illegible] for [illegible] fine.

OATS—The very light shipments and receipts experienced so far during the season leads to the inference that very large quantities of this cereal are yet in the hands of producers, held for a higher figure. Our local trade at present is moderately active at 45@48c per bushel, jobbers paying prices. There are now but slight indications of an early advance, though should the attention now bestowed on wheat give way, oats may come more into favor.

BARLEY—We notice in our exchanges from San Francisco that the large surplus in California is now well out of the first hands, large shipments having been made to South America and some to New York and Liverpool. Our own market is very quiet, though all good lots offering are freely taken at current rates. We quote common at $1 [illegible], good $1 40, to best at $1 4[illegible] ⅌ 100 lbs.

FEED—The supply in this market is kept quite full, and with some shipping and an active home demand prices are well sustained. We quote bran at $[illegible] in jobbing lots, chopped feed $[illegible], shorts $[illegible].

HAY—The receipts of the past few days have been light, and our quoted prices of $16[illegible] for baled and $[illegible] ⅌ ton for loose timothy are firm.

POTATOES—The supply from down the river and adjacent farms is quite adequate to the demand, which is almost entirely created by the home trade, no call for shipping existing. The best varieties job at [illegible] cents ⅌ bushel, while inferior sorts are quite dull at [illegible] cents.

ONIONS—With light receipts our market is firm at [illegible] cents ⅌ pound. The shipments are light, as California is well supplied and San Francisco prices [illegible].

APPLES—[illegible] San Francisco [illegible] plenty are now [illegible] shippers find but little encouragement [illegible] per pound, while choice varieties [illegible].

BACON—The supply [illegible] hardly as full as [illegible] fair sale at [illegible]. The demand is quite [illegible] for Oregon cured hams and [illegible] shoulders [illegible] expecting [illegible] from California [illegible].

LARD—The market is not in full supply, except [illegible]. The call for fresh Oregon lard has been [illegible] at [illegible] ⅌ lb in kegs [illegible] tins.

BUTTER—Advices from San Francisco [illegible] that market for Oregon butter there and shipments [illegible] express. [illegible] at the present. Our market is well supplied with [illegible] in tins [illegible] in [illegible] The best family use [illegible] plentiful [illegible].

CHEESE—[illegible] or five [illegible] in our State and importations from California. We quote jobbing prices at [illegible] dairy [illegible].

DRIED FRUITS—The market is well stocked with Oregon made dried fruits, and owing to the fact that California is now in receipt of large shipments of dried apples per rail from the East the demand for Oregon shipments is dull at [illegible]. Our market is quotable at [illegible]. Dried plums are dull at [illegible].

POULTRY—The receipts have slightly fallen off, but prices remain as at last report. We quote best [illegible] chickens [illegible], spring and mixed lots $[illegible] ⅌ doz, turkeys [illegible], geese [illegible].

EGGS—Under full receipts prices become dull at [illegible] ⅌ doz, at which large lots are offered [illegible] shippers not being able to place them advantageously in San Francisco.

BEEF CATTLE—The receipts from east of the Cascade mountains have [illegible]. Prices are firm at [illegible] cents ⅌ lb [illegible] young cattle that will [illegible].

MUTTON SHEEP—The demand is not very active and butchers seem [illegible].

DRESSED HOGS—We note but little activity in the market, considering the fact of the approach of the packing season. Good lots, however, are taken at [illegible] cents ⅌ lb.

HIDES—The advices from the East indicating a suspension of many large factories, prices for raw material have shown more weakness, though no positive decline has taken place. [illegible] still maintained at [illegible] cents ⅌ lb green salted [illegible].

WOOL—The very great disturbance of the manufacturing interests in the Eastern States by the [illegible] made in our market [illegible] supply [illegible] wants of our State mill, prices generally ruling at [illegible] cents ⅌ lb.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening, at [illegible] o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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This being the TWELFTH ANNUAL ISSUE of the above work, the publisher will spare no expense to render it FULLY RELIABLE AND ACCURATE, his sole aim being to make the DIRECTORY useful to every citizen in Portland as a faithful annual index of the commercial condition of the city.

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THOMAS G. YOUNG,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
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IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DISTRICT OF OREGON.—Notice in Bankruptcy. In the matter of Samuel S. Baer, bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Samuel S. Baer, duly declared bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities, and other claims provable under said Act, and that the [illegible] day of December, 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M. is assigned for the hearing of the same before H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at his office in Portland, in said District, when and where any persons may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

R. WILCOX,
Clerk of said Court.
E. D. Shattuck, Att'y. d[illegible]

IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DISTRICT OF OREGON.—Notice in Bankruptcy. In the matter of F. H. Ray, bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said F. H. Ray, duly declared bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities, and other claims provable under said Act, and that the [illegible] day of December, 1873, at [illegible] A. M. is assigned for the hearing of the same before H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at his office in Portland, in said District, when and where any persons may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

R. WILCOX,
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REFERENCES—New York: N. Y. National Exchange Bank, Chambers street; Messrs. J. I. Brownell & Bros., Bankers, 28 Broad street. San Francisco: Jas. B. Roberts, Esq.; James H. Goodman & Co., Bankers, Napa.
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IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR DISTRICT of Oregon.—In the matter of F. H. Ouimette and H. Dupuis, bankrupts. In Bankruptcy. District of Oregon—ss. This is to give notice that I have filed my final accounts as Assignee of the estate of F. H. Ouimette and H. Dupuis, bankrupts, in said Court, that by order of said Court, on Monday, December [illegible], at ten o'clock A. M., the second and third meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held in Portland, Oregon, at the office of H. H. Northup, Register in Bankruptcy, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sections of the Bankrupt Act approved March 2, 1867, when I shall apply to said Court for the settlement of my said accounts and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate, in accordance with the provisions of the twenty-eighth section of said Act.

Nov [illegible], 1873. T. B. TREVETT, Assignee.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of R. Doty & Co., bankrupts. I hereby give notice that the final meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupts will be held in the City of Portland, in said District, on the 13th day of December, A. D. 1873, at [illegible] o'clock P. M., at the office of H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867. I also give notice that I will file my final account as Assignee of said estate in said Court, and that on the [illegible] day of December, A. D. 1873, I shall apply to said Court for settlement of my said accounts and for a discharge from all liabilities as Assignee of said estate, in accordance with the provisions of the twenty-eighth Section of the Bankrupt Act of March [illegible].

JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of [illegible] Printing Co., Bankrupts. I hereby give notice that the final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held in the city of Portland, in said District, on the 13th day of December, A. D. 1873, at [illegible] o'clock P. M., at the office of H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh Section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867. I also give notice that I will file my final account as Assignee of said estate in said Court, and that on the 13th day of December, A. D. 1873, I shall apply to said Court for settlement of my said accounts and for a discharge from all liabilities as Assignee of said estate, in accordance with provisions of the twenty-eighth section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee.

MEDICAL.

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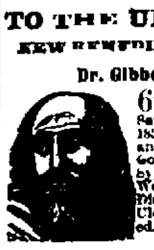

Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,
623 KEARNEY [illegible] NEAR COMMERCIAL, San Francisco. [illegible] 1854, for the treatment of [illegible] and Seminal Diseases, Gonorrhea, Gleet, [illegible] Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc. Diseases (of years standing) Ulcerated Legs [illegible] cured.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing [illegible] he has returned from visiting the principal [illegible] tals of Europe, and has resumed practice at his Dispensary, 623 Kearney street, corner of Commercial, San Francisco, where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor [illegible] seeking out new remedies, and has returned [illegible] increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Disease.

How many thousands of persons both male and female are there who are suffering out a miserable existence from the effects of secret indulgence [illegible] from virus absorbed into the system. Look [illegible] pallid, emaciated and disfigured faces and broken down constitutions disqualifying them for the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment [illegible]. In this horrid situation thousands suffer until death closes the scene. Let parents, guardians, friends [illegible] to those who are suffering with any of [illegible] horrible life-destroying maladies, see that they are cared for and cured before it be too late. Send [illegible] immediately to DR. GIBBON, a physician who has made private diseases his especial study for [illegible] and is certain to cure the most inveterate [illegible] without mercury or any injurious drugs. [illegible] important to those who are afflicted or to those who are interested in the welfare of their friends [illegible] careful of the many pretended doctors who [illegible] all cities publishing their skill in curing all diseases in a few days, imposing upon the public by [illegible] the names of eminent physicians from Europe and other places. Be therefore careful and make inquiry, or you may fall into the hands of charlatans.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions, the consequence of self-[illegible]. This solitary vice or depraved sexual indulgence practiced by the youth of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent, producing with unerring certainty the following train of morbid symptoms [illegible] combatted by scientific medical measures, viz.: [illegible] low countenance, dark spots under the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots, [illegible] the loins, weakness of the limbs, [illegible] blunted intellect, loss of confidence, [illegible] approaching strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintances, disposition to shun society, loss of memory, hectic flushes, pimples and various eruptions about the face, furred tongue, fetid breath, coughs, consumption, night sweats [illegible], frequent insanity. If relief be not obtained, [illegible] apply immediately either in person or by letter, and have a cure effected by his new and [illegible] of treating this disease, which never fails of effecting a quick and radical cure. Dr. G. will give [illegible] Hundred Dollars to any person who will prove satisfactorily to him that he was cured of this complaint by either of the San Francisco [illegible].

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate marriage, who are [illegible] ing under any of these fearful maladies, [illegible] forget the sacred responsibility resting upon [illegible] nor delay to obtain immediate relief.

DR. GIBBON is responsible, and will give to [illegible] patient a written instrument, binding him [illegible] effect a radical and permanent cure, or make no charge.

Cured at Home.

Persons at a distance may be CURED AT HOME by addressing a letter to Dr. Gibbon, stating [illegible] symptoms, length of time the disease has continued, and have medicines promptly forwarded, free from damage and curiosity, to any part of the country, with full and plain directions. By inclosing [illegible] Dollars coin, in registered letter through the [illegible] office or through Wells, Fargo & Co., a package of medicine will be forwarded to any part of the Union. All communications strictly confidential.

Caution to the Unfortunate.

Beware of the San Francisco quacks and pretenders who with bogus certificates [illegible] the unwary. Some of the self-styled doctors, whose names are to be found in the daily and weekly newspapers of San Francisco, and other places, are tradesmen, and became too lazy to work at their trades. Some are tinsmiths, shoemakers, news carriers, intelligence office keepers, etc. The only way to avoid imposition is to make inquiry—it will cost you nothing, and may save you many [illegible] for, as advertising physicians, in eight cases out of ten are bogus, there is no safety in [illegible] them until you know who and what they are. Dr. Gibbon does not deceive people by exhibiting [illegible] certificates, pretended patients [illegible]. Dr. Gibbon will satisfy persons who may call at his office of his ability to [illegible] that he proposes to cure.

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☞ Correspondents will [illegible] inform DR. GIBBON that they read his advertisement in the DAILY OREGONIAN.
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City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Roll of the City of Portland has been duly filed and will remain open at the Auditor's office until January 1st, 1874, prior to which time all applications for correction of errors must be filed.

Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No. 1115:

Section [illegible]. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment, valuation or listing of property may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same.

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes, owned by, in the hands of, or under the control of the applicant, and a concise statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously [illegible], which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or affirmation of the applicant, and must be filed with the Auditor before the 1st day of January following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
December [illegible], 1873. d[illegible]

MILITARY ORDER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, Oct. 10, 1873.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES commands it to be made known that all soldiers who have deserted their colors, and who shall, on or before the 1st day of January, 1874, surrender themselves at any military station, shall receive a full pardon, only forfeiting the pay and allowances due them at the time of desertion, and shall be restored to duty without trial or punishment on condition that they faithfully serve through the term of their enlistment.

By order of the Secretary of War.
E. D. TOWNSEND,
Adjutant General.
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TAXES.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Multnomah County, Oregon—You are notified that the tax for the year 1873 is now due and payable, and I am instructed to collect the same within thirty days.

R. J. LADD, Clerk.

Office at Effinger's Book Store, Morrison street, St. Charles Building.
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NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.,
Portland, Nov. 5, 1873.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Oregon Steamship Company, held this day, the following Resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That from and after this date no Passes for free transportation on the Steamships and Steamboats be issued to any person whatever, except to the Directors, officers and employes of the Company.

R. H. C. TAYLOR,
Sec'y.
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